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San Diego's Demand for Aid in Deepening the Channel is also Granted.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—One of a very few appropriations in the rivers and harbors bill that went through without opposition was the grant of $1,080,000 for Los Angeles harbor, which passed the Senate today with flying colors. The appropriation of $220,000 for San Diego had an equally flattering reception.

For several weeks Senator Kenyon of Iowa has been making a terrific fight against "looting the treasury" in rivers and harbor purposes. Most of the items of the Senate bill were open to be outrageous steals.

When the Los Angeles item came up this afternoon Senator Kenyon looked in the battle and looked doubtful.

"A mere trifle of a million or so," he said, satirically. "Well, I suppose there is some explanation for it."

Senator Works rose and explained that the money was wanted for the construction of a dam to prevent the silting of the harbor by the carrying down of silt in the winter floods. He called attention to the fact that the money is to share the expense by granting a right of way and that this is only part of a big flood control project for which the Los Angeles county people are to pay.

KENYON'S QUESTION.

"Is of pressing importance or can it wait for another year?" inquired Senator Kenyon, hesitatingly.

Senator Works stated that it is of very pressing importance inasmuch as every flood carries ruin to the harbor and expense to the government.

"There is another pressing reason," interjected Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan, "if the project waits for another year the distinguished Senator from California will not be here with us."

Senator Works made another speech explaining the item of $220,000 for the widening and deepening of the channel at San Diego. He showed how it was not only necessary to have the present channels, but would actually make money for the government because the city of San Diego is to give the government 500 acres of tidelands that will be reclaimed in the work of dredging.

SMOOT BOOSTS PLAN.

Senator Smoot of Utah, who has fought most of the harbor appropriations, volunteered as a booster for the San Diego project. He said that last summer he went over the harbor in an aeroplane for the particular purpose of observing the channel. He said it was so narrow that it required almost marvelous skill to navigate a boat through it. He said the Dutch flats which San Diego offered to the government could be sold for many times the cost of the dredging.

"This is one of the few thoroughly meritorious items in this bill," he said. "It ought to pass. I look to see San Diego a great port of entry.

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WINE SUBSTITUTE PLAN OF RUEF.

Announces Project for Using Product of Vineyards Without Alcohol.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Abraham Ruef announced here today a project for utilizing the products of California vineyards without the sale or use of alcoholics. Ruef offers a beverage which he said is wine with the alcohol taken out by special process. He claims for the product the endorsement of prohibition leaders. Mr. Ruef expresses hope that through the use of this beverage, the wine acreage of the State might remain undisturbed. The extracted alcohol, he said, pays for the cost of the process.

Vanity Fair.

WHOLE WAR A FAILURE

Wherefore Peace is About Due.

Napoleonic Blows Can Avail Nothing Now, is the Belief of England.

Status Quo Ante with Certain Modifications as a Basis for Negotiations.

BY FRANCIS W. HIRST, Editor of the London "Economist."

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, May 23.—Those whom I consulted on President Wilson's Charlotte speech attach great importance to it, but only two or three sentences have as yet been published.

The United States newspapers have afforded a neutral zone for discussion between belligerents. The view that the war cannot be ended by Napoleonic blows gains ground and increasing numbers believe that the status quo ante with modifications offers a ground for a secure settlement, especially now that the changed psychology of the German people begins to peer out in the German press. Their long casualty lists and financial sacrifices compared with our new vote of credit tell everywhere, but German despondency is further stimulated by their food shortage and the recognition of their commercial isolation.

The difficulties of reaching a settlement of eastern problems would be very great if Russia pressed the views of Prof. Paul Millukoff, leader of the Democratic Constitutional party of the Duma, which includes the acquisition of Constantinople and fortifications in the Dardanelles.

Sir Edwin Pears reminded me today that Constantinople has a population of more than a million, many Greeks, Turks and Armenians and only about five or six thousand Slavs, including, perhaps fifty Russians.

The establishment of a free port with no fortifications appears to be the ideal solution.

Meantime peace talk continues in the financial district and the stock markets, though quieter today, maintain cheerfulness. Bulgarian 6s sold yesterday at 71, Brazilian were strong. The fall in silver may indicate that the high price brought to us is melting pot. Clearly the vast quantity of silverware operates against extreme prices.

Daylight saving has been introduced without friction or inconvenience except for some grumbling by farmers. We all rise and retire an hour earlier than usual and only complain that it was not done in April. But the saving of water in watering of streets is rousing protests, for dust carries disease.

AUSTRIAN TROOPS IN THE RIVA ZONE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME (via London) May 23.—The following official communication was issued today:

"Between Lake Garda and the Adige assemblages of enemy troops have been observed in the Riva zone, and there has been aerial activity by the enemy on Monte Baldo.

"From the Adige to the Astico there have been only reconnaissances.

"Between the Astico and the Brenta and in the Sugana Valley, after a repulse of enemy attacks against our advanced lines yesterday, our troops gradually retired on their main lines of defense. The movement was executed in perfect order and not under pressure by the enemy.

"On the upper Cordevole an Italian detachment took by assault an important enemy position on Mount Seif, capturing fifty prisoners and arms and ammunition.

"Along the remainder of the front there have been artillery actions, which were most intense on the upper But, on the heights northwest of Gorizia and in the Monfalcone sector.

"Enemy aviators have dropped bombs at some points on the Venetian plain. A few persons were wounded, but no damage was done."

LANSING INTERCEDES FOR STARR-HUNT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Representations have been made by the State Department to the British government, it was learned today, in behalf of J. B. Starr-Hunt, an American citizen, formerly of New York and San Antonio, Tex., held at Singapore. Representative Slayden of Texas informed the department that the man had been held several months without a hearing. His transfer to London for trial is being sought.

Starr-Hunt left San Francisco as purser of the American steamer Maverick, declared by British authorities to have been engaged in A German plot to promote an armed attack on British forces in the East Indies. The plot is said to have miscarried and the Maverick was laid up at Batavia, Java, where Starr-Hunt was paid off and discharged. He was en route to Singapore when arrested, charged with attempting to communicate with German agents.

THOUSANDS DIE OF STARVATION.

People of Lebanon, Egypt, in Critical Situation, the British Aver.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Eighty thousand persons have died of starvation in Lebanon, according to a cable message received today by the Daily Mirror, a Syrian newspaper. The message was signed by S. Sarkis of Cairo, Egypt, a magazine writer whose reliability is vouched for by the publishers of the Daily Mirror, although they do not profess to have any information as to the accuracy of the facts contained in the cablegram.

Reverses.

ITALIANS RETREAT ABOUT TEN MILES.

AUSTRIANS MAKE GAINS ALONG THE WHOLE FRONT.

Fighting is Now Fierce in the Neighborhood of Dantes Castle, the Teutonic Idea Being to Separate the Romans' Army Operating Against Triest.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, May 23.—The French military experts agree that the Italians have fallen back before the first shock of the Austrian offensive, but say they now are reforming their lines with heavy reinforcements.

The operations in the center are in the area about twenty miles square east and northeast of Lake Garda, where the Italians had made their first drive towards Trent. They were strongly posted at Rovereto, less than twenty miles from Trent, but withdrew southward under the heavy Austrian pressure until their lines are now about ten miles south of Rovereto.

The Austrians occupy elevated positions on what is called Santo Hill, where the Italians face them from Pasubio hill. Dantes Castle is in this neighborhood. Dante had described this region in his "Inferno" as seamed with gorges cleft by an avalanche. Some fifteen miles farther east the Austrians made another advance, the Italians retiring south of the line between Monte Maggio and Monte Ponezza. The Italian advance had been on Austrian soil, but the Austrian offensive has now pushed the line back toward the frontier until part of the new line runs along the border.

The Austrian objective is said to be toward Vicenza, with the purpose of separating the Italians operating against Triest, from those engaged in the campaign against Trent.

DATE OF WITHDRAWAL FIXED BY CARRANZA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MEXICO CITY, May 23.—Gen. Carranza has dispatched a note to Washington. There is much speculation as to its contents. It is said that in the note Gen. Carranza has specified a date on which he will require that all United States troops be withdrawn from Mexico.

ITALY CELEBRATES ENTRY INTO WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME (via Paris) May 23.—The anniversary of Italy's entrance into the war was celebrated today throughout the country with the greatest enthusiasm. Towns, villages and hamlets were decorated with flags. In these places there were processions, patriotic speeches were delivered and the army was acclaimed.

WOMEN TO RAISE CAMPAIGN FUND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—The new woman's party will go into the Presidential campaign with $100,000 to its credit if a movement launched today by the Congressional Union is successful. Announcement of the campaign to raise thousands to finance the woman's fight to secure the passage of the Susan B. Anthony amendment was made by Miss Alice Paul, national chairman of the union at convention headquarters today.

MISS GRADY ARRESTED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, May 23.—Professing to be an expert law stenographer, a woman, describing herself as Miss Alma Grady of Sacramento, Cal., was arrested today on the charge of robbing a traveling salesman for a liquor concern of $269. The woman arrived here a few days ago from Sacramento on her way to New York, she says, where she hoped to obtain a position.

RIO GRANDE ELECTS EASLEY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) May 23.—The appointment of F. J. Easley of Des Moines to be assistant general manager of the Colorado lines of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad was announced today.

DICKENS FOUND GUILTY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

BOULDER (Colo.) May 23.—Rienzi C. Dickens was found guilty of second degree murder this afternoon. The verdict carries a sentence of ten to twenty years' imprisonment.

The Great War.

FINAL GRIPS AT VERDUN

Snpreme Efforts by Both Sides.

Germans Clinging Desperately to One Small Corner of Fort Douaumont.

Preliminary of the Offensive of the Allies May not be Under Way.

BY ARTHUR S. DRAPER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONDON, May 23.—Today has witnessed the bloodiest fighting in the whole battle of Verdun. The struggle of the first days of the German assault, or of the second mighty effort to overwhelm the fortress, fade into nothing compared with the titanic force of today's blows.

And their net result, as far as the Germans were concerned, was to leave the battle lines where the French had left them after the successful counter-attacks of yesterday. Only about the Thiaumont farm, east of the Meuse, does Paris admit that loss of a single foot of ground. Berlin itself claims only the capture of a small blockhouse west of the river and of a mine sap near Vaux. For the rest it contents itself with reporting the repulse of French attacks.

Every available man and every available gun, except those actually necessary for the reserves, the Germans have mustered into the battle. They made a supreme effort to recapture Ford Douaumont, which, in their absorption at Hill 304 and Le Mort Homme, they had neglected to prepare against the contingency of French surprise. But the French grip on these old fortifications was too strong.

Assault after assault—so many of them that they literally flowed into each other until even the French could not distinguish them—was delivered into the old ramparts. It was a repetition of the hand-to-hand struggle in the streets of Vaux.

GERMANS CUT OFF.

To one corner of the abandoned fort the Germans still clung desperately. The French fought their way so close that had the opposing troops stood up in the trenches they could almost have clasped hands across them. There the Germans are still holding out unable to advance and cut off from all escape. They are repeating the feat of the Brandenburgers, who first captured the fort. Isolated from their comrades for days, nevertheless they succeeded in repelling all French attempts to regain the works.

Le Mort Homme and Hill 304 continue to bear the brunt of the attack west of the Meuse, though Paris asserts that only once were the Germans able to reach the French lines. That was in the section assault at Le Mort Homme and a counter-attack quickly dislodged them.

To whichever part of the European fronts we look the most remarkable fact still is the refusal of the allied commands to be provoked into a premature offensive. There can be only one rational interpretation of this course, and in France the army and civilian public realize it so well that they bear the strain without a whisper or complaint.

ALLIES' ASCENDENCY.

The allies have now the definite ascendency, but they are so bent upon a vastly larger operation which they hope will be decisive, that they prefer to risk local and momentary losses rather than postpone the day when they will be fully ready to deliver in common their knockout blow.

Vast as are the battles about Verdun they will be overshadowed by the coming event, which will be incomparably greater. The enemy's strategy, whether on the Meuse or the Adige, is to destroy this menace by making it abortive. It is at once the weakness and the strength of the allies that while putting forth at these points just sufficient defensive effort for safety they must never compromise the supremely important work of preparation. The stand of the French at Verdun has done much to cheer England and now the Irish situation is giving cause for fresh optimism.

IRISH SITUATION.

The Express understands that when Premier Asquith makes his statement on Ireland in the House of Commons tomorrow he will announce that the office of Viceroy of Ireland will be abolished. It was stated in some quarters today that Lord Wimborne was about to return to Dublin and would withdraw his resignation from the office of Lord Lieutenant, but this is wholly incorrect. I am informed Lord Wimborne will be the last of the Viceroys, but it is expected that he will be offered another post of importance under the government. It must be remembered that if Premier Asquith intends to abolish the office of Lord Lieutenant of Ireland he will have to amend the Home Rule Act, under which, when it comes into operation, the Lord Lieutenant is appointed for six years.

A SPEEDY DESTROYER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

QUINCY (Mass.) May 23.—The torpedo boat destroyer Sampson exceeded contract requirements by attaining a speed of 31.2 knots during her acceptance trials off Rockland, Me., today. The vessel developed 20,000 horse power.

UNIVERSAL ARMY TRAINING IS FAVORED BY BAKER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Secretary Baker began an exhaustive study today of the Hay-Chamberlain army bill with a view to undertaking the authorized reorganization of the regular army and National Guard as soon as the measure is signed by the President. Reorganization of the militia will be dealt with first. Senator Chamberlain, chairman of the Senate Military Committee, conferred with Mr. Baker late today regarding administrative features of the new legislation. The Senator said he planned to call up before the Military Committee Friday his bill for universal military training in schools and camps. Secretary Baker, for the first time since he became head of the War Department, expressed his views on universal military service. "Every citizen is under obligation to serve for the defense of his country," he said. "In view of the universality of the obligation I favor universal training through some system of selection that will provide adequate defense for the country." He added, however, that he was not in favor of a system that would compel every citizen to become a seasoned soldier, and intimated his belief that compulsory service was unnecessary at this time, since training of citizens had been inaugurated on so broad a scale in schools and army camps.

Quicksand.

COUNTRY IS PROSPEROUS, GOVERNMENT BANKRUPT.

Mayor Thompson of Chicago Shows How the Perniciousness of the Democrats Capitalizes the Hatred, Misery and Carnage in Europe to Make a Sham Showing of Real Prosperity in the United States.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Mayor Thompson opened the convention of the National Electric Light Association in the Congress Hotel today with a direct attack on any movement to take Associate Justice Hughes off the Supreme Court bench and make him a candidate for President. On the subject of Justice Hughes as a candidate Mayor Thompson, in his prepared speech, said:

"The Supreme Court of our country is the palladium of our most sacred rights. Once establish the precedent of making candidates for President out of justices of the Supreme Court, even of men of such high character and unimpeachable integrity as Justice Hughes, and a suspicion will be cast for all time over the further decisions of that court as being made in the hope of political reward and preferment."

Here are some other views presented by Mayor Thompson:

On the recall of judicial decisions: "The most pernicious of these remedies for the ills of the body politic was that one which threatened to undermine the citadel of justice, termed the recall of judicial decisions. Fortunately for the American people and the cause of liberty under law, the proposal was not popular. The issue has gone to the scrap heap along with Greenbackism, free silver, the initiative and the referendum."

On prosperity: "We are enjoying a battlefield prosperity built upon a foundation of quicksand. We are capitalizing the hatred, the misery, the suffering, the mortal agony and all the train of pitiful incidents of the dreadful carnage in Europe. Death in Europe spells dollars in America."

The Mayor next plunged into the financial stability of the United States, aiming a dart at the Wilson administration when he asserted:

"It should not be forgotten that it is as much the part of wisdom to prepare for the commercial contests of peace as it is to prepare against the possible contingency of war. Are the fiscal policies of the nation correct in theory and do they work out in practice?

"It is a startling commentary on their efficiency that, while the country is being deluged by the untold wealth which is pouring upon us, the government itself is plunging into bankruptcy."

The Mayor then quoted extensively from Federal trade reports, showing imports and exports during the Wilson administration and also from statistics on the income tax.

Interregnum.

ENGLAND UPSETS PLANS FOR VESSEL COMBINATION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—After the long meeting of the preferred stockholders of the International Mercantile Marine Company on Monday and a series of bankers' conferences at the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. today, it became known that the British government had intervened in the reorganization of the International Mercantile Marine Company. As the result of the demands of the British government reorganization plans considered practically settled ten days ago have been thrown into disorder.

The conflict of interests arose upon the arrival from London of Harold A. Sanderson, president of the company.

The British government, it was explained, acted by virtue of an agreement made with it by the late J. P. Morgan. The contract was designed from the British standpoint to protect the British mercantile marine from American encroachment. Mr. Sanderson asked that the new board which it was proposed to elect to manage the company have on it as many British directors as are on the present board.

The British vessels shall remain British, not merely nominally, but in reality, by the terms of the contract. A majority of the directors of the British companies in the combination are to be of British nationality.

Every ship now flying the British flag and half the ships hereafter to be built for the combination shall continue to be British ships, and shall continue to fly the British flag; they shall be officered by British officers and manned in reasonable proportions by British crews.

Ireland.

ASQUITH TO ABOLISH OFFICE OF VICEROY

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 24.—Premier Asquith in the House of Commons today will announce that the office of Viceroy of Ireland has been abolished, according to the Daily Express.

Lord Wimborne, whose resignation as Lord Lieutenant has not yet been accepted, will be offered another post of importance under the government.

The Daily News says that the scheme for the solution of the Irish problem which has received the largest support in the Cabinet is for an agreement between the Irish leaders accepting the principle of separate parliaments for Ulster and the rest of Ireland after the war, but until the end of the war the government to be in the hands of a coalition executive council, with the offices equally distributed between the parties.

Distress.

YAQUI RANKS DECIMATED; STARVATION INCREASING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) May 23.—Starvation is rapidly decimating the ranks of the Yaqui Indians as a result of the de facto Mexican troops having driven them from their sources of food supply, according to Col. Miguel S. Samanego, who has arrived in Agua Prieta after a year's campaign in the Yaqui River Valley.

The Indians have been driven entirely out of the supposedly impregnable Bacatete Mountain range, he said. The plan of campaign of the de facto forces has been to strongly garrison each town and ranch where food could be obtained, with other forces around the water holes, while cavalry commands patrol all roads and mountain trails.

As a result the greater part of the men of the tribe have been driven steadily toward the Chihuahua border, traveling in small bands.

Momentum.

IMPETUS FOR ROOT.

Why His Stock is Ascending.

New Yorker Gains Strength in Ratio Favorite Sons are Growing Weaker.

Burton and Fairbanks Would Now be Well Satisfied with Second Place.

BY HARRY CARR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Senator Root's chances have risen within the past forty-eight hours, owing to a sudden chill that has attacked the feet of Candidate Burton and goose flesh that is breaking out on Candidate Fairbanks.

Yesterday and today a subtle envoy has been running around the Senate cloakrooms trying to find out what "the boys" would think of Burton or Fairbanks as candidates for Vice-President.

They both want it thoroughly understood that they are sure winners as candidates for President, but if they should become candidates for Vice-President, how would the boys feel about it?

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts is still sticking by the ship on a gambling chance. His managers feel that the Republican convention will be a chaotic affair and anything is likely to happen to anyone. His managers say he will have delegates from twenty States. He regards these as staked claims, anyone of which is likely to accumulate more delegates. At the same time Senator Weeks's recent bill in favor of interlocking corporation directorates does not look as though he regarded his candidacy in a desperately serious light. The Weeks bill is regarded as an excellent measure, but it is no kind of propaganda for a Presidential candidate.

IMPETUS FOR ROOT.

The evident weakening of the favorite sons squad gives a great impetus to the candidacy of Senator Root. Just as Judge Hughes is the candidate favored by the House of Representatives, so Mr. Root is the Senators' candidate. Senator Root never put forth his best for the benefit of the Senate galleries. His best and most masterly speeches were made in the executive sessions of the Senate when great international treaties were under discussion. So it happens that his strongest admirers are among his colleagues of the Senate. In several instances the support of the favorite sons cannot be delivered by the F. S. in person. Senator Murray Crane will doubtless dictate the final disposal of the Weeks ammunition.

Mr. Crane's right ear has never been able to find out what his left ear is hearing. He is that secretive. But there is every reason to suppose that he will be for Root.

Boies Penrose, proprietor of a half interest in the Pennsylvania contingent, is in about the same position, all things considered. The apparent preparations of the Burton and Fairbanks brigades to find a soft place to light cannot be regarded in any other light than as a burst of speed for Senator Root.

FOR HARMONY.

Root is the only candidate upon whom the colonel and the favorite sons can meet in harmony. The colonel and the favorite sons are one in that they hate Judge Hughes and like Mr. Root. The Hughes boom seems to be in need of a warning fan. With his marvelous instinct for political drama, Col. Roosevelt pulled a sympathetic stop when he suggested that Judge Hughes should come out and declare himself one way or other and state his policies.

Judges Hughes declines, however, to emerge from his cloud of mystery.

Weather experts are unanimously of the opinion that the cold late bleak spring is due to the chill radiated from the political envoys who have attempted to interview Judge Hughes. The last one emerged with a tremulous smile and an air of forced confidence. "N—no," he said doubtfully, "the judge didn't just exactly say he was a candidate, but I sort of got the idea he might be from his manner."

He did not describe in detail what the judge's manner was like. Although there are almost hourly flurries and panics sweeping from one end of Washington to the other, there seems to be no reason to change the estimate of the vote on the first ballot at the convention printed a week or so ago in the Times. Since its publication, I have submitted it to the political managers of four different candidates and to a number of "neutral powers." They all stated that they thought the estimate was substantially correct.

THE ESTIMATE.

This was the estimate: Knox, 65 delegates; La Follette, 26; Cummins, 85; Ford, 30; Weeks, 120; Sherman, 90; Burton, 140; Hughes, 105; Fairbanks, 125; Root, 120; Du Pont, 6; T. R., 65.

There is some doubt as to the ability of the colonel to swing either his delegates in the convention or the strength of the Progressive party in the Presidential campaign. The colonel is a strong campaigner, but has never exhibited much ability to help other candidates. Witness the New York cam-

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THE WORLD'S NEWS IN THE HEART OF IT IN TODAY'S TIMES.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., northwest; velocity, 24 miles. Thermometer, highest, 67 deg.; lowest, 57 deg. Forecast: Unsettled, probably showers. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. Director Gillespie of the Bureau of Sanitation reported to the State Board of Health in favor of the proposed tri-city sewer farm for Pasadena, South Pasadena and Alhambra.

The Board of Public Service passed resolutions condemning the proposed new charter's provisions for saddling the entire water debt of the city upon the consumers.

The Finance Committee of the Council demanded a reorganization of the inspection work and the dismissal of some of the inspectors.

The famous "butterfly fraud" case was called in the Federal court and the inner workings of the alleged swindle were told by self-styled victims.

Various beach cities united in a protest to the Supervisors against appropriations for Independence Day and the Hollywood parade, if the latter is held July 4.

George Bitten was found guilty of murder by a jury.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Contracts were awarded for two large steel schooners, which are to be the first of their kind built at this harbor.

Charles Grimes of Pasadena, notable figure in the mining world, died suddenly at Kingman, Ariz.

PACIFIC SLOPE. The clue to the alleged identification of the Nelms sisters in Snohomish appears to be growing weaker.

A heavy wind and rain is reported at Stockton damaging crops to some extent.

GENERAL EASTERN. Mayor Mitchel is condemned by New York grand jury in wire tapping case.

WASHINGTON. Suffrage is denied to Porto Rico by a vote taken in Congress.

MEXICO. Mexican apathy is again blamed for the failure to capture Villa bandits.

THE GREAT WAR. The Situation to Date: Heifferich appointment in Berlin regarded as a peace move by the Kaiser.

Italians continue to fall back.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

Heavy masses of German troops have been thrown against the picked French troops whose successful attacks won for them the greater portions of Fort Douaumont and considerable ground adjacent to the fort of high strategic value. These newly-captured positions the French have tenaciously held. Particular mention is made by the French War Office of the maintenance of the position in Fort Douaumont conquered by the French Monday. The fighting at this point is characterized by Paris as "a murderous struggle." Each attack was preceded by powerful artillery preparations. Although they were hard held to the northeast, the Germans would not be denied at Le Mort Homme, and, after having been mowed down by the French artillery and machine guns with sanguinary losses in several attacks, finally gained a footing in trenches to the west of this much-fought-for position. Their tenure of the trenches was short lived, however, for the French in a counter-attack immediately drove them out. Italy's first anniversary of her entrance into the war found her troops on at least one sector in Southern Tyrol forced back by the great Austrian offensive upon Italian soil, and in general retirement to their main lines of defense from the region south of Rovereto to the Val Sugana, southeast of Trent.

The Mexican situation continues quiet despite alleged efforts of the Carranzistas in some sections of Mexico to foment trouble for the American punitive expedition. Dispatches seem to agree that the Carranzistas are shirking their duty and responsibility in the business of going after the bandits as they are said to have promised to do.

HOW TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump at the wrong conclusion that all, or the most important, news is to be found on the first page. Consult the Index and the Summary, then read the entire paper and thus get all the news of the day.

Nourishment.

FOOD ADEQUATE, BERLIN CLAIMS.

But Germans Musn't Overeat for a While at Least.

Sweeping Powers Granted to the New Dictator.

Protest Made by Town of the Southern District.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, May 23, noon (via London.)—"The adequate nourishment of our population is fully assured and will not be rendered doubtful by any blockade regulations of enemy states, no matter how unscrupulous they may be and no matter how long the war may last," said the semi-official North German Gazette in an announcement of the creation of a food dictatorship with sweeping powers.

"However, the short harvest of 1915, together with reduced imports, have resulted in a food scarcity in some directions which makes itself acutely felt and efforts to better conditions have been hindered by the fact that each Federal state has been able to make independent regulations. This will now be corrected by a centralization of power."

Probably never before have such sweeping powers been concentrated as are now in the hands of Herr von Battocki, the new food dictator. Final decision on all questions rests solely in Herr von Battocki's hands.

POWER OF DICTATOR.

The dictator will be able to expropriate all foods and fodder and may even establish fixed per capita rations if necessary. The only express limitation of the dictator's powers is contained in the provision that the new department's measures will take into consideration orders of the military commanders. The date on which the new order of things will become effective is to be announced shortly.

The Lokal Anzeiger sums up the situation as follows:

"It is no longer any secret that certain supplies are short, not so much as a result of the friendly efforts of our enemies, but as the result of last year's poor harvest. It is true we do not need to worry about bread. We have saved enough here by economic administration to reach to the new harvest. We even shall be able to increase the ration for manual laborers.

"We also shall come through with potatoes, even though with scant rations, until the early crop. But our meat and fat supplies, as is well known, leave much to be desired. The last animal census showed only slightly over 15,000,000 swine, but since the number of pigs is large we may expect in a year or more to make up in some degree what is lacking. The number of meat cattle has decreased less than was supposed, but what we lack is cattle fit for butchering.

"In no circumstances must we touch milch cows or we shall endanger the milk supplies of our children.

"It does not require furthermore to be said that the butter scarcity compels the greatest possible sparing of milch cows, since the butter we import from abroad eats up enormous sums of money."

REFERS TO MISTAKES.

The Lokal Anzeiger refers to mistakes in organization, but says after all the main reason for the existing evils is the scarcity of supplies.

The newspaper closes with an expression of confidence of Germany's being able to meet all requirements, and calls upon Germans to show that they are willing to make the necessary sacrifices.

That the Federal states' surrender of their constitutional rights as a preliminary to the creation of the food dictatorship did not come without opposition is indicated by a dispatch from Stuttgart, where one branch of the City Council protested sharply against attempts to introduce uniform food distribution throughout the empire, "at the expense of the south of Germany," as the proposer of the resolution of protest phrased it.

GERMANS DECLARE FRENCH REPULSED.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, May 23 (via Sayville.)—"A correspondent on the French front sends a description of the last attack of the French on Hill 304 on the Verdun front," the Overseas News Agency says. "The French brought up fresh troops to this sector where so many divisions had been repulsed previously. Three attacks were executed brilliantly by the French and crushed methodically by the German guns.

"The third attack exposed the French troops particularly to a deadly fire. The tenacity with which the French commanding officer repeated the attacks proves the importance attached to the loss of Hill 304."

Big One.

ROJAS IS KILLED BY CARRANZISTAS.

GEN. TREVINO REPORTS PROGRESS AGAINST BANDITS.

Outlaws in Several Districts of Chihuahua are Captured and Executed by the First Chief's Troops—Many Mines Operating in Parral District.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHIHUAHUA (Mex.) May 23.—Toman Rojas, leader of the outlaw band that raided the Colton ranches, has been killed in a running fight at Sacramento and the rest of the band is being closely pursued, according to an official report today from Gen. Trevino.

Gen. Ignacio Reyes has informed Gen. Trevino from Jimines that he captured the bandit Abundio Hernandes and a supply of rifles and ammunition while searching for his brother, Nicholas Hernandez, Villa's Chief of Staff, who is reported in that district. Gen. Roman has put detachments up the Rio Florido to guard the ranches there, which are the only places where the bandits can provision themselves. Gen. Maldonado has reported from Conchos the execution there of two officers and four soldiers of a Villa band, who had received amnesty. They were shot for the robbery of a carload of provisions destined for the Nice mining camp. The goods were recovered.

Gen. Luis Herrera at Parral has asked Gen. Trevino that the balance of his brigade be sent him in order to strengthen the outside points of Balleza and Rosario, Magistrate Ceneguilla, El Carmen and Guanacevi. A number of mines have resumed working there and Gen. Herrera expects for their benefit to run trains daily from Rosario to Jiminez. With stronger garrisons he believes that other mines will be induced to open.

HAWAIIAN VOLCANO IS COOLING DOWN.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) May 22.—The lava flow from the volcano of Mauna Loa was reported moving slowly today after the most northerly fork of three streams of the molten flood had reached within a mile of one of the best roads on the island of Hawaii. Reports that damage had been sustained by stock on ranges adjacent to the volcano was not confirmed.

Hundreds of visitors motored to the scene of the eruption and brought back as souvenirs cooled specimens of lava. The glow from the crater is visible from a great distance.

Lethargic.

APATHY SHOWN BY MEXICANS.

Plans for Pursuit of Bandits are Again Quiescent.

Retirement of Sibley's Force Calms First Chief.

Attitude of Texas Militia Defended by Slayden.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON (D. C.) May 23.—Reports to both the State and War departments today further indicated plans of the Carranza government to vigorously prosecute pursuit of Chihuahua outlaw bands while the American forces remain comparatively quiescent.

Closely following news of withdrawal from Mexico of the second American punitive expedition, sent from Boquillas, Tex., under Col. Sibley and Maj. Langhorne, information reached the State Department that Gen. Obregon had ordered 30,000 troops to engage in the bandit hunt in Chihuahua and along the Big Bend border.

Delay in opening diplomatic discussions over the question of American troops remaining in Mexico also was indicated in official dispatches. State Department officials said that receipt of the new note being prepared by Gen. Carranza was not expected before next week. It was thought probable that retirement of the Big Bend expedition to American soil had presented a new situation in connection with representations contemplated in Gen. Carranza's new note.

BAKER'S STATEMENT.

Secretary Baker said tonight that the Sibley-Langhorne expedition was not withdrawn upon orders from Washington. Officials here believe the American forces lost the "hot trail" of the bandits who raided Glenn Springs and Boquillas, and retired because their officers thought no good could be accomplished by remaining across the border.

Whether the 116 National Guardsmen of Texas who refused to be mustered into the Federal service shall be court-martialed has not been determined. Judge Advocate-General Crowder today withdrew an opinion submitted to Gen. Scott, Chief of Staff, which outlined the War Department's authority and rules of procedure. Gen. Crowder desires to consider whether the new army reorganization bill just passed by Congress will affect the situation.

The record of the Texas Guardsmen in responding to President Wilson's call for border duty was defended today by Representative Slayden of Texas.

DEFENSE OF TEXANS.

"Less than 3 per cent. of the Guard have failed to answer the summons," he said, "and in view of the fact that many of the men have families to support and other affairs which might prevent their immediate response, the proportion seems very small to me."

Mr. Slayden produced figures to show that the membership of the Guard had increased in Texas within the last few months and quoted Gen. Funston as saying he thought the Texas Guardsmen had acquitted themselves creditably in the Mexican situation.

Settlement of the railroad strike in several Mexican districts was reported in State Department advices. Trains at Monterey were reported operating as usual, as well as some mines, smelters and other industrial plants. At Piedras Negras, official advices stated, railroad shop employees returned to work yesterday and traffic has been resumed, through trains from Mexico City arriving there daily.

Renewed activity of bandits near Acapulco on the west Mexican coast was reported.

Tendency.

PEACE STATEMENT GROUND FOR HOPE.

VON BETHMANN-HOLLWEG VIEW CREATES INTEREST.

Diplomats Believe it is First Definite Pronouncement Looking to End of Hostilities that has Yet Come from a Person in Authority.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—In official and diplomatic circles today, the interview with Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg, giving the official German view of the peace outlook, was read and discussed with absorbing interest.

While calling attention to the wide divergence between the views coming out of Berlin, London and Paris, a high administration official said that the fact that anything whatever is being said about peace by the heads of the respective Foreign Offices is conclusive evidence that the possibility of reaching some agreement acceptable to all is in the minds of the responsible men in the belligerent capitals.

This official said that Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg's statement of the basis on which Germany is willing to discuss peace is about what disinterested persons in responsible places throughout the world would expect.

With Premier Briand of France announcing only yesterday that Prussian militarism must be crushed before the allies can consider peace and Sir Edward Grey sending out similar statements from London, this official said, Germany could not reasonably be expected to demand anything less than a discussion of peace on the basis of the war map.

Despite these apparently irreconcilable differences, officials here see a glimmer of hope in the persistence with which responsible officials in all of the belligerent capitals permit themselves to be quoted on the subject of peace.

Prominent government officials in Washington think that the statement secured by Karl H. Von Wiegand is a definite step toward peace. They feel that Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg has given something tangible to work on.

MEXICANS SPREAD REPORTS TO STIR UP AN UPRISING.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, NAMIQUIPA (Mex.) May 23 (via radio to Columbus, N. M.)—The Carranza garrison at Madera is engaged in spreading reports calculated to stir up both soldiers and natives against the Americans, according to a report received here today from that place. No clashes have been reported, however, between members of the expedition and any of the Mexicans. Meantime the expedition is quiescent, patroling only a limited distance to the south. Carranzistas are keeping aloof from the American detachments. Gen. Pershing, through the press correspondents, thanks the American women who are contributing luxuries to the troops, but announces that the men are amply supplied with clothing and socks and a further deluge of candies and delicacies would burden the army transport.

Expensive.

VOTE AT PRIMARY COST TWO DOLLARS.

IN SOME SECTIONS THEY WERE SEVEN DOLLARS EACH.

Returns Show the Majority for the Regular Republican Candidates was Forty Thousand—Los Angeles was the Banner County of the State.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, May 22.—Official figures compiled in the office of the Secretary of State show that the average majority for the regular Republican delegates in the May Presidential primary was a trifle more than 40,000 votes.

Walter Bordwell, the top of the regular Republican ticket, received 132,836 votes against 95,153 for R. N. Bulla, high man on the hyphenated United-Republican ticket. By reason of his place at the top of the no-preference column Bulla ran about 6000 votes ahead of his ticket.

Bordwell's majority over D. C. Collier, low man on the United ticket, was 44,201 votes. Bulla ran 35,000 votes behind the low man on the regular Republican ticket. The total number of Republican votes cast was about 235,000 votes.

The official count has been delayed by errors made in compiling the returns by a number of smaller counties. The Democratic and Progressive count is not yet finished.

LOS ANGELES BANNER COUNTY.

Los Angeles county is the banner Republican county with its majority of a little more than 11,000 votes; Alameda county comes second with a majority of more than 8000 votes, and San Francisco is third with an average of about 7000. Sacramento, the home of the pay-roll brigade, gave the largest majority for the hyphenated ticket, which carried but six of the eighty Assembly districts in the State.

As the cost of the primary election was about $600,000, and less than 300,000 votes were cast, the average cost of the election was about $2 a vote. In some of the smaller counties the average ran as high as $7 a vote.

Returns from the counties show that at least 4000 electors voted for R. N. Bulla and no one else. Evidently they thought that the cross placed in the square opposite his name was equivalent to a vote for the whole list of delegates. On both tickets the women delegates fell below the average of their masculine team-mates.

The percentage of Republican votes cast compared with the Republican registration is the highest ever cast in a primary. There were 235,000 cast and the total Republican registration is but 290,000.

Pitiful.

AMERICAN DOLLAR IS LOSING CASTE.

AT LEAST THE RULE APPLIES IN SCANDINAVIA.

Germany Appears to Have been Dumping too Much United States Money in Stockholm and Christiania to Suit the Inhabitants of Those Countries.

[A. P. FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.]

STOCKHOLM, May 11.—The American dollar has been steadily declining in value on the Scandinavian Bourses until on May 10 the drop represented a loss of 12 per cent., more than half of which has occurred in the last two months. The normal value of the dollar in Stockholm and the other Scandinavian capitals is 3 kroner and 73 ore. It was quoted today on 'change at 3.28, whereas only 3.20 was paid at banks on American dollar drafts.

This condition is partly accounted for by the fact that the Germans have recently dumped a great quantity of American money and bills receivable on the Stockholm market. It is believed, however, that it is principally due to the falling off in American trade during the past six months, owing to the difficulty and danger in transferring money, caused by the tightening of the British blockade. The seizure and holding up of mails is also a factor.

Letters reaching Stockholm today were mailed in New York seven weeks ago. As mails to America are stopped also by the British patrol boats and the letters censored in England, merchants must figure on three and a half months on an exchange of letters. This makes it practically impossible to transact business in this way.

The English pound sterling has been leading the dollar downward. From the normal 18 kroner and 20 ore, it was quoted today at 15.42, while still less was paid on exchange, a loss of more than 15 per cent. German marks show a loss of more than 30 per cent. They have dropped from a normal price of 90 kronen per hundred to 60.80. The Russian ruble and the Austrian crown are worth today about half their normal value and the French franc is 25 per cent. under par.

Sweden's exports, which is principally to Russia and Germany, are now far in excess of imports and this partly accounts for the low value of foreign exchange. This condition has helped to augment the great prosperity which is prevailing throughout this country as well as all Scandinavia.

Possibility.

PROHIBITIONISTS MAY NAME BRYAN.

CHANCE FOR HIM TO RUN IS BELIEF OF LEADERS.

Recent Statement of Commoner are Thought to Indicate He is Thinking Seriously of Taking up the Dry Issue in Presidential Campaign.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—If he will consent to make the race, William Jennings Bryan may be selected as the candidate for President of the Prohibition party.

Recent statements of Mr. Bryan before the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Saratoga Springs, in which he was quoted as declaring that he had about reached the point where he could no longer follow a political party which refused to indorse national prohibition was discussed by Prohibition party leaders here today. They expressed the belief that if the Democratic National Convention at St. Louis declined to adopt a national prohibition plank in its platform Mr. Bryan might consent to become the candidate of the Prohibition party for President.

The Prohibition National Convention will be held at St. Paul July 19 to 22 and will be preceded by a rally in the interest of the movement to obtain pledges from 500,000 citizens to vote only for candidates for public offices who favor national prohibition.

SHORT JURY VERDICTS UPHELD BY COURT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 22.—Juries of less than the twelve men, when required by common law, and verdicts by less than the entire jury, when provided for by State law, are valid in cases, even those arising under Federal law, the Supreme Court held today.

The decision upheld the Minnesota law permitting five-sixths of a jury to return a verdict after being out twelve hours and a Virginia statute authorizing trials before seven jurors.

SIOUX CITY BANK ROBBED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SIOUX CITY (Iowa) May 22.—A masked robber entered the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank here at noon today, forced the cashier at the point of a gun to turn over from $800 to $1000 and then made his escape.

DEMOCRATS FIX UP THEIR PLATFORM.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Work on putting into words the issues on which the administration plans to conduct the Presidential campaign has been started in earnest. Former Gov. Glynn of New York, who, as temporary chairman of the St. Louis convention, will deliver the keynote address, has tentatively prepared his speech and it will be submitted soon to President Wilson. The general outlines of the Democratic platform have also been agreed upon.

It is understood the platform will follow the general lines of that adopted by the Missouri Democrats, although several planks will be added.

Peace and prosperity will be the main features of the platform and also of Mr. Glynn's address.

SIGNS OF PEACE SEEN BY BANKERS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Chicago bankers see a change rapidly approaching from the abnormal money situation. Collateral tendencies, they point out, are in the direction of better rates—not a sharp or rapid increase, but one that nevertheless will bring substantial relief. As signs of impending European peace become more and more marked they look forward to a corresponding firming in the monetary situation, with the unusual domestic problem which now obtains, an added factor.

NORBECK LEADING IN SOUTH DAKOTA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SIOUX FALLS (S. D.) May 23.—Meager returns from over the State indicate that Peter Norbeck has carried the State substantially over G. W. Egan for the Republican nomination for Governor. C. A. Christopherson of Sioux Falls is leading Representative C. H. Dillon in Minnehaha county for the Republican Congressional nomination.

DECLARE YUAN MUST KEEP OFFICE.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

PEKING, May 23.—The conference assembled at Nanking, consisting of one delegate from each of the ten loyal provinces of China, has decided that Yuan Shi Kai must remain president of the republic until a proper parliament chooses his successor.

The province of Shen-Si, a western frontier province of China, has declared its independence.

A Japanese firm has loaned China 3,000,000 yen on security of iron mines in Hunan province.

Commentaries.

OFFICIAL NEWS OF THE BATTLES

Bulgars Join Austrians in Attack on Italians.

Central Powers Claim Gain in Southern Tyrol.

Germans Say Douaumont is Still in Their Hands.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME (via Paris) May 23, 3:10 p.m.—Along the Isonzo front the Italians have made prisoners of Bulgarians, showing that Bulgars have joined the Austrians in their present offensive. The Austrian heavy guns are much more numerous in this region than those of the Italians, but they have not been able to overcome the well-organized Italian defenses, which thus far have checked the Austrian advance along the whole Isonzo line.

AUSTRIANS MOVE UP.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, May 23 (via Sayville.)—The Austrians are successfully continuing their offensive against the Italians in Southern Tyrol, according to the War Office announcement today. They have advanced on both sides of the Sugana Valley, driving the Italians before them.

The War Office report received here today from Vienna says:

"Italian front: Our troops advanced on both side of the Sugana Valley. The enemy hastily fled from Borgo (about five miles north.) Quantities of booty were captured by us. The Graz corps crossed the border and harried the defeated army. The Italian fortifications of Monte Veina are already in our hands.

"In the Brand Valley an attack against the enemy's positions near Chiesa is in progress.

"The number of cannon captured since May 16 has increased to 188.

"Our naval aeroplanes dropped numerous bombs on the railroad from Sandona di Piave to Porto Gruaro."

ITALIANS' FORTS FALL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN PRESS HEADQUARTERS, May 22 (via Berlin, May 22, and London, May 23, 3:20 p.m.)—Austrian troops continue to reduce the outer girdle of forts protecting Arsiero. The army of the Austrian Crown Prince is following up the advantage gained on Friday when the first breach was made in the line to the northwest of Arsiero and which enabled the Austrians to attack some of the outer positions eastward of the place from both the front and rear.

The commanding hills of Tonnezza, Parso della Vena and Monte Melignone fell in rapid succession, bringing the Austro-Hungarians in possession of the entire line from Forni on the River Astico westward to the frontier.

Further advances have been made by the Austrians toward the line of hills north of the Val di Ilaghi, on the highest of which one of the chief forts of Arsiero is located. Other important works protecting Arsiero now threatened are on Monte Tormino and Monte Cremone.

Both wings of the Crown Prince's army also have been going steadily ahead. The right or west wing has been going forward from the northern slope of the Col Santo ridge. It already has Col Santo itself and already is proceeding against Monte Pasubio.

The left wing stormed Sasso Alto, the commanding hill of the Armentara ridge, thus depriving the Italians of their last supporting positions on this ridge and enabling the Austro-Hungarians to advance into the Sugana Valley and take Roncegno.

The guns already captured include fifteen 28-centimeter howitzers.

The Austro-Hungarians are battling against many disadvantages in the rough Alpine territory against strongly-fortified positions. The correspondents here declare that the artillery of the Austro-Hungarians has exhibited a marked superiority over that of the Italians.

Aviators have contributed greatly to the result of the battles by a successful bombing of Italian railroads and other communications of the Italians.

The territory where the fighting is now proceeding was voluntarily left in the hands of the Italians at the beginning of the war, army officers say, because the frontier was unfavorable geographically for defense and the Italians were strongly intrenched.

TURKISH REPORT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 22 (via London, May 23, 5 p.m.)—The capture by the Turks of the British forces at Kut-el-Amara has resulted in a new disposition of the Turkish troops, as is shown by the following official statement given out today:

"Mesopotamia front: In view of the favorable new situation resulting from the capture of Kut-el-Amara a change of our defensive plans became necessary. Therefore we withdrew our troops on the right bank of the Tigris. The enemy did not recognize this until two days later.

"Caucasian front: On the night of May 19-20 two surprise attacks on our outpost on the left wing were repulsed.

"On May 19 eight enemy airmen appeared over the Dardanelles and dropped seventy bombs without effect. One of our batteries twice opened an effective fire on them. The same night seaplanes which were pursuing enemy airmen flew over Imbros and dropped nine bombs on the aeroplane sheds of the enemy with good effect.

"Enemy monitors off Imbros unsuccessfully shelled Seddul-Bahr on March 20. Our artillery damaged an enemy cruiser in Smyrna waters. The cruiser was compelled to withdraw in the direction of Samos.

"In reply to the bombardment of El Arish (an Egyptian town near the boundary of Palestine, which recently was bombarded by the British) one of our aerial squadrons on the night of May 19-20 attacked Port Said, dropping numerous bombs on vessels anchored near the shore, in the harbor and on military establishments in the town. We observed great conflagrations. Our airmen returned safely."

BRITISH STATEMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 23, 11:59 p.m.—The British official communication issued tonight says:

"Hostile aircraft were active on portions of our front yesterday. Fourteen enemy aeroplanes were engaged, and one was driven down inside the enemy's lines in a damaged condition.

"Last night and today there have been heavy bombardments by both sides about the Vimy ridge."

GERMAN OFFICIAL.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via Sayville) May 23.—Announcement was made by the War Office today that in the fighting north of Verdun the French have taken some first line positions of the Germans, but that Fort Douaumont remains firmly in German hands.

The statement given out by army headquarters today says:

"Western front: Preparations by the British to make a counter-attack southwest of Givenchy-en-Gohelle were observed. Small advances by the British in the Roclincourt district were repulsed.

"In the Meuse district (Verdun front) the fighting was especially heavy on account of the enemy's counter-attacks. West of the river the Germans captured a French blockhouse south of Canard forest. Hostile attacks east of Hill 304 and on the southern slope of Dead Man Hill resulted in failure.

"East of the Meuse there were violent infantry engagements on the front south of Thiaumont farm as far as the Caillette wood. The French, after a strong artillery preparation, entered the foremost German position, but were repulsed on the flanks of the sector by German counter-attacks. South of the village and south of the former fort of Douaumont the engagement is not yet finished. Fort Douaumont remained firmly in German hands.

"Northwest of Fort Vaux we recaptured a sap which had been occupied temporarily by the enemy.

"The first and second lines of the French on Combres height were destroyed by our mines over a considerable distance.

"On the heights of the Meuse southeast of Verdun near Vaux les Palameux and Seucey the enemy's attacks for the most part broke down before our curtain of fire. Small detachments which entered our trenches were annihilated.

"An enemy aeroplane was shot down southwest of Vailley."

PRESBYTERIANS DISCUSS MERGER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ATLANTIC CITY (N. J.) May 23.—Adoption of the plan for the merger of the Board of Education and the College Board and the announcement that the Committee on Bills and Overtures had not yet reached an agreement regarding the charges of heterodoxy against the New York Presbytery and Union Seminary were the outstanding features of today's discussions of the Presbyterian General Assembly.

The merger plan provides for the utilization of an entirely new and independent corporation to be created either under a general law or by a special statute in one of the States where such legislation is permissible. The new corporation is to be given power to acquire and administer the assets and property of each of the existing boards, subject to the jurisdiction of the general assembly and the provisions of any trusts relating to the property of either board.

The board will be composed of thirty-six members, eighteen ministers and eighteen elders, members of faculties of educational institutions being barred from membership.

Classified Real Estate

advertisements in the Sunday Times must be received before 5 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

Life's Seamy Side.

HOPES TO EVADE ELECTRIC CHAIR

Dentist Waite to Testify in His Own Behalf.

Wife and Former Friends to Appear Against Him.

Woman Who Revealed Crime also Summoned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Confronted by an unbroken chain of evidence, which the State claims conclusively proves him guilty of the murder of his wealthy father-in-law, John E. Peck, of Grand Rapids, Mich., Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, the young New York dentist, will go on the witness stand in an effort to save himself from death in the electric chair. This decision was reached tonight by his counsel, at the end of the second day of his trial.

The defendant's most trying ordeal probably will come tomorrow, when his wife, Mrs. Clara Peck Waite, his brother, Percy Peck and Mrs. Margaret Horton, with whom he shared a studio in a hotel here, will take the stand against him. Mrs. Horton, accompanied by her husband, Harry Horton, and her son was in court today expecting to be called.

It also is expected that the secretary surrounding the identity of a person who sent a telegram to Mrs. Peck, the day Waite's aged victim was to be buried in Grand Rapids, urging that an autopsy be held on the body, will be disclosed tomorrow. The telegram gave the first intimation to the Peck family that there was anything wrong. It read:

"Suspicion aroused. Demand autopsy. Examine body.

[Signed] "K. ADAMS."

Dist.-Atty. Edward Swann says resolutely has refused to divulge the identity of the sender of the telegram, but in announcing a list of witnesses who would be called by the State, he included the name of "K. Adams."

It is said that the mysterious person is a woman.

SIX RAILROAD OFFICERS ELECT

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Succession to the late William A. Gardner, who was president of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway and its subsidiary, the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway, was appointed by the directors of the roads in this city today.

Richard H. Ashton was made president of the Chicago and Northwestern with Marvin Hughitt, vice-president, in charge of operation and maintenance, while James T. Clark, formerly president, was elected president of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha; A. W. Trenholm was appointed vice-president and general manager; D. M. Pearce, general office manager, and Charles H. Hotchkiss, comptroller.

CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

When the Mayor took the witness chair he said he would not leave it "until he had torn things wide open." He declared he had in his hands records of approximately 100 conversations taken down by the police over a tapped wire which indicated that there "is a combination of persons who have been working:

"First, to revoke the authority of the Strong committee by appealing to the Governor.

"Second, to discredit the committee.

"Third, to attack and discredit Mr. Hotchkiss.

"Fourth, to spirit people away from the jurisdiction of the committee.

"Fifth, to coach witnesses and to 'top up' testimony."

The Mayor also charged that there was a conspiracy to discredit the charities department of the city.

MORE AEROPLANES FOR GEN. PERSHING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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Ponder It.

THINK BACK TO EGYPT AND RECALL FASHODA.

So Exclaims the German Chancellor in His Accusation that the Entente Powers are the Ones that Initiated the Business of Crushing the Smaller and Weaker Nations. Sharp References to Peace.

BY KARL H. VON WIEGAND.

[BY WIRELESS AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BERLIN, May 23.—After twenty-two months of terrible work, after the sacrifices of millions of men, dead, wounded and disabled for life, after forcing a heavy debt in blood and treasure that places a mortgage upon the brow and shoulders of the present and future generations, it is beginning to dawn upon England that the German people are not to be crushed, that the German nation cannot be destroyed.

Having learned that, at so terrible cost to Europe and the world, Sir Edward Grey now declares that British statesmen never did want to crush and destroy Germany, notwithstanding the utterances of his confreres in the British Cabinet and the British press to the contrary, and in the face of the inducement held out to the French people by President Poincare in his speech of a few days ago that if they only will endure to the end England and France will "dictate peace to Germany."

Thus expressed himself Dr. Von Bethmann Hollweg, Imperial Chancellor of Germany, today when he received me by request made for the purpose of asking the Chancellor if he would make any comments upon the utterances of the British Foreign Secretary in a recent interview.

"Do you believe that a press polemic will serve any useful purpose or bring us any further toward the end?" the Chancellor answered when asked if he would give me his views on Secretary Grey's utterances. "It forces us to look back instead of giving our attention to the future, which is more vital—and what we should do.

"As to militarism, who was it that made and followed the policy of militarism in the last twenty years, England or Germany? Just think back to Egypt. Recall Fashoda. Ask the French people which nation at that time, through its warlike threats and attitude, forced upon France the humiliation long known to them as 'the shame of Fashoda' so keenly and bitterly felt by the French.

"Recall the Boer War, with the conquest and destruction of the liberties of free peoples and small and weak nations.

"Remember Algeciras, where England, according to Sir Edward Grey's own statement, had given France to understand that in the event of war she could reckon upon England's assistance, and the general staffs of the two countries began to confer upon plans in that sense.

"Then came the Bosnia crisis. It was Germany, not England, who averted war at that time," declared the Chancellor.

"It was Germany who made and moved Russia to accept her mediation proposal."

Then the Chancellor repeated the well-known German argument that the allies were preparing to invade Belgium had Germany not done so first.

"Will your excellency not say something about the future rather than the past?" I ventured.

"Yes," answered the Chancellor. "I prefer that, too, because with retrospective remarks we will not get any further.

"Sir Edward Grey wants permanent peace," continued the Chancellor, speaking slowly and deliberately and as if thinking deeply. "I, too, want permanent peace. I have repeatedly expressed myself in that sense since the beginning of the war. But I fear we will not come nearer to the peace desired. I believe, by all peoples so long as the responsible statesmen of the Entente powers indulge in and confine themselves to observations about Prussian militarism and to pathetic declamations about their own superiority and perfection, or, even as Sir Edward Grey says, with a change in her internal political affairs and condition."

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$450.00—KINGSBURY PLAYER, mission oak; regularly $750.
$500.00—KINGSBURY PLAYER, oak; dropped catalog style.
$550.00—KINGSBURY PLAYER, mahogany; fine workmanship.
$600.00—KINGSBURY PLAYER, mahogany; few players as good.
$500.00—MILTON, fumed; perfect in case and action.
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$650.00—MILTON, electric, mahogany; regularly $800.
$495.00—ANGELUS, mission oak; our leader.
$495.00—EMERSON ANGELUS, mah.; magnificent instrument.
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Life's Seamy Side.

HOPES TO EVADE ELECTRIC CHAIR

Dentist Waite to Testify in His Own Behalf.

Wife and Former Friends to Appear Against Him.

Woman Who Revealed Crime also Summoned.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Confronted by an unbroken chain of evidence, which the State claims conclusively proves him guilty of the murder of his wealthy father-in-law, John E. Peck, of Grand Rapids, Mich., Dr. Arthur Warren Waite, the young New York dentist, will go on the witness stand in an effort to save himself from death in the electric chair. This decision was reached tonight by his counsel, at the end of the second day of his trial.

The defendant's most trying ordeal probably will come tomorrow, when his wife, Mrs. Clara Peck Waite, her brother, Percy Peck and Mrs. Margaret Horton, with whom Waite shared a studio in a hotel here, will take the stand against him. Mrs. Horton, accompanied by her husband, Harry Horton, and her sister, was in court today expecting to be called.

It also is expected that the mystery surrounding the identity of the person who sent a telegram to Percy Peck, the day Waite's aged victim was to be buried in Grand Rapids, urging that an autopsy be held on the body, will be disclosed tomorrow. The telegram gave the first intimation to the Peck family that there was anything wrong. It read:

"Suspicion aroused. Demand autopsy. Examine body.

[Signed] "K. ADAMS"

Dist.-Atty. Edward Swann steadfastly has refused to divulge the identity of the sender of the telegram, but in announcing a list of the witnesses who would be called by the State, he included the name of "K. Adams."

It is said that the mysterious person is a woman.

SIX RAILROAD OFFICERS ELECTED

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Successor to the late William A. Gardner, who was president of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway and its subsidiary, the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Omaha Railway, was appointed by the directors of the roads in this city today.

Richard H. Aishton was elected president of the Chicago and Northwestern with Marvin Hughitt, vice-president, in charge of operation and maintenance, while A. Johnson was appointed general to fice manager.

James T. Clark, formerly a president, was elected president the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapo and Omaha; A. W. Trenholm appointed vice-president and gen manager; D. M. Pearce, general fice manager, and Charles Jo comptroller.

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MAYOR MITCHEL IS CONDEMNED.

Grand Jury Criticises His Defense of Wire-tappers.

Two New York City Officials are Under Indictment.

Charge of Conspiracy is Made by Executive.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Sensational charges by Mayor John Purroy Mitchel against some of his "investigationists" in attempted justification of telephone wire tapping during the investigation conducted by a committee appointed by Gov. Whitman into the affairs of Roman Catholic charitable institutions in this city, were made late today before the legislative committee headed by State Senator George F. Thompson.

The Mayor's allegations were preceded by the indictment in Bronx county earlier in the day of John A. Kingsbury, City Commissioner of Charities, and William H. Hotchkiss, special counsel for the charities department, for their part in the "tapping" of telephone wires. The chief witnesses against them before the grand jury were Catholic clergymen.

MAYOR CONDEMNED.

Mayor Mitchel and Police Commissioner Woods were witnesses before the jury, but were not indicted, although the presentment of the jury declared they merited "a severe condemnation" if they approved wire tapping "merely to furnish counsel with information in a law case or to gratify curiosity."

Mayor Mitchel became a witness on the avowed purpose of making public telephone conversations overheard by the police, which, he declared, justified the wire tapping.

Alfred J. Talley, counsel for many of the clergymen involved, offered strong objections to the reading of the conversations in the Mayor's possession or any part of them. The attorney asserted the alleged conversations were taken down on slips in long hand by four police officers and were presented to the Charities Investigation Committee, which refused to receive them on the ground that it would be improper to have them go on the record.

CHARGES CONSPIRACY.

When the Mayor took the witness chair he said he would not leave it "until he had torn things wide open." He declared he had in his hands records of approximately 50 conversations taken down by detectives over a tapped wire which showed that there "is a combination of persons who have been trying

"First, to revoke the authority of the finance committee by appealing to the Governor.

"Second, to discredit the committee.

"Third, to attack and discredit Mr. Hotchkiss.

"Fourth, to spirit people away from the jurisdiction of the committee.

"Fifth, to coach witnesses and to 'frame up' testimony."

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Edward G. Jackson, Hollywood, fruit-grader; Ben Kram, Los Angeles, excelsior-making machine; John C. Jorgensen, Los Angeles, bench stop; Frank L. Kehoe, Point Arena, game board; James F. Kelly, San Francisco, piano bench; Arthur K. Krieger, Los Angeles, composition for building materials and making the same; Oscar Kustel, Ontario, carburetor; William Lazar, San Francisco, paper towel dispenser; Peter M. McBean, San Francisco, die for the manufacture of tiles; Oscar J. Moe, Likely, brake-operating means; Harry M. Myers, San Rafael, fly trap; Jessie E. Ogden, East Uburn, sectional hull for ships; U. G. Page, J. A. Bouk and H. Quittman, Oakland, system for supplying fuel for hydrocarbon engines.

Samuel J. Paul, Los Angeles, timing device for electric circuits; George Perrault, Stockton, stabilizer for boats; Alfred Pesoia, Berkeley, nonstretch lining for garments; George A. Rathbun, Coalinga, glass pump; Jesse R. Ray, San Francisco, oil burner; Oscar A. Schlesinger, Oakland, pneumatic cleaning apparatus; Gustave Ulrich, Los Angeles, trolley wheel adjuster; Johann G. Wallman, Oakland, apparatus for regulating street traffic; John L. Webb, Sawtelle, windshield cleaner; Walter C. White, Los Angeles, flexible pipe joint; Ethel H. Klamroth, Pasadena, smocked garment.

ACCUSES BURLESON OF STARTING LOBBY.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—"Postmaster Gen. Burleson and his assistants," are charged with having organized a postoffice lobby in a resolution introduced today by Representative Good of Iowa, directing a committee inquiry. The inquiry is an outgrowth of a flood of telegrams from postmasters urging the rejection of Senate amendments to the postoffice appropriation bill regarding rural free delivery routes.

The resolution charges that extension of rural routes has denied many patrons an efficient mail service and that political motives were back of the consolidation of the routes.

ANTI-GAMBLING BILL REPORTED TO HOUSE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A bill to prohibit transmission between States or into the United States from a foreign country by telegraph, telephone, express or otherwise of race track or other gambling bets, odds, results or advertising, was reported favorably today by the House Interstate Commerce Committee. It would impose a penalty of two years' imprisonment or $1000 fine, or both, for violations in the first instance and make prison sentences mandatory for all subsequent offenses.

PREPAREDNESS BILL AFFECTS INDUSTRIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Creation of a national council to mobilize the industrial resources of the country for use in time of war, is proposed in a bill, approved by President Wilson, introduced today in the House by Chairman Hay of the Military Affairs Committee.

The measure would provide for a council to consist of seven members of the Cabinet, with the power to nominate, for the approval of the President, an advisory commission of seven members especially qualified to aid in making a survey of the industries of the country and to create relations that will "render possible in time of need the immediate concentration and utilization of all the industrial resources of the nation."

None of the men engaged in the work would draw salaries, only their actual expenses being paid. An initial appropriation of $200,000 is asked for the work of the survey during the first year.

SUFFRAGE DENIED TO PORTO RICANS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The House struck from the Porto Rican bill today by a vote of 80 to 59 an amendment designed to grant woman suffrage to the islands. The bill then passed without roll call, virtually as introduced. The bill gives Porto Rico all its internal revenue. Property and educational qualifications are provided for applicants for citizenship. The measure now goes to the Senate.

GAVIRA ACCUSES AMERICANS.

Their Demeanor in Casas Grandes Declared Hostile.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) May 23.—Complaints against the action of American troops at Ascension, in the Casas Grandes district, were received by Gen. Gavira in Juarez today in a telegram from the Mayor of the town.

The Mayor charged the Americans with committing depredations, these consisting of throwing up fortifications on the property they had occupied, he said. He charged also that Gen. Pershing's men were coming into the town in violation of the agreement between the Carranza and Washington governments.

He declared the attitude of the foreigners was distinctly hostile to the Carranzistas, inasmuch as it was unnecessary, in view of Mexican co-operation, he said, for the Americans to fortify themselves.

The Carranza government will grant amnesty to Gen. Jose Inez Salazar, who recently evaded surveillance in El Paso and crossed the Rio Grande for the announced purpose of starting another revolution. If Salazar will agree to surrender himself in Juarez, Gen. Gavira said today.

PROPOSAL TO FEED HOLLAND'S PEOPLE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via London) May 23.—James W. Gerard, the American Ambassador, today received the British counter proposals to the plan submitted by Walter Hines Page, the American Ambassador to Great Britain, for the feeding of the civilian population of Holland by the American commission. Mr. Gerard will start immediately negotiations with Germany.

Sixty-fourth Congress.

NAVAL BILL TO BE RUSHED.

House May Hold Sessions Both Day and Night.

Five Great Battle Cruisers in the Programme.

Senate is Expected to Add Some Dreadnaughts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A special rule to provide for immediate consideration of the naval appropriation bill with night sessions, a limited period of general debate and a final vote not later than Friday or Saturday of next week, will be brought into the House next Monday.

Majority Leader Kitchen announced this plan tonight after a heated debate between Democratic and Republican leaders on the floor, during which Mr. Kitchin and Republican Leader Mann accused each other of misstating what took place at their informal conference on calling up the measure.

"I shall make no further attempt to reach an agreement with the Republicans," Mr. Kitchin said. "We went over the whole ground in conference and they agreed to my plan. I thought it was entirely satisfactory to them because many of the Republicans had told me that they were anxious to get away from Washington a week from Saturday in order to attend the Republican convention in Chicago. Of course, I expected them to object to the rule on the floor as a matter of policy, but I did not think they would expect me to take their objections seriously."

In objecting to the plan to limit consideration of the bill to four or five days, with night sessions, Mr. Mann said it was not "generous, fair nor decent." He asserted that Mr. Kitchin told him the President had insisted the bill be passed before the Republican convention, which Mr. Kitchin denied.

The indications are that virtually a solid Democratic majority will vote for the bill as reported by the Naval Committee with its provision for five great $20,000,000 battle cruisers. Dreadnaught advocates are depending on the Senate to add about two battleships to the construction programme.

In the Balance.

BRANDEIS VOTE TO COME TODAY.

SENATE COMMITTEE UNCERTAIN AS TO THE RESULT.

Upon the Attitude of One Democrat, Whose Views are Unknown, Depends Whether the Nomination will be Reported Favorably or Otherwise.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Louis D. Brandeis's nomination to the Supreme Court will be passed upon tomorrow by the Senate Judiciary Committee, which has had it under consideration since January.

Last week the committee unanimously agreed to vote tomorrow, and it is predicted that at least nine of the ten Democratic committee members will vote for a favorable report. Senator Shields of Tennessee is the only Democratic committeeman whose attitude was regarded tonight as uncertain. He is absent from the city, but is expected to arrive in time for the committee meeting.

Should Senator Shields vote against Brandeis, administration leaders said, the committee would be tied, and a return of the nomination to the Senate without recommendation would result.

RUBLEE LOSES A SECOND TIME.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The administration's effort to have the Senate reconsider its refusal to confirm the nomination of George Rublee of New Hampshire, as a member of the Federal Trade Commission, failed late today by a tie vote of 38 to 38.

WILSONS TO ATTEND WEDDING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—The President and Mrs. Wilson will leave early tomorrow morning for New York to attend the wedding there tomorrow afternoon of Dr. Cary T. Grayson, the President's naval aide, and Miss Alice Gertrude Gordon of Washington and New York. They will return to Washington tomorrow night.

AMERICAN DOLLAR STRONG IN SWEDEN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

STOCKHOLM, May 23 (via London.)—The American dollar and the English pound have at last shown some strength on Scandinavian bourses.

The fall of these two exchanges, which seemed to go down hand in hand, was definitely checked last week after the dollar had touched 3.27, from the normal 3.73, and the pound had touched 15.35 from the normal 18.20. The dollar hung for several days at this low level, then jumped to 3.28 and today was quoted at 3.30. The pound climbed faster and was quoted today at 15.65.

Spring.

Spring is looked upon by many as the most delightful season of the year, but this connot be said of the rheumatic. The cold and damp weather brings on rheumatic pains which are anything but pleasant. They can be relieved, however, by applying Chamberlain's Liniment.—[Advertisement.

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THE WEATHER ELSEWHERE.

Drenching Rains Fall Over Middle States and Greatly Aid Crops.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Drenching rains fell again today in the Eastern States and there were scattering showers of small volume over the East Central and West Central States. Temperatures were slightly higher in all directions. Chicago's maximum was 71 deg. and minimum 60 deg. Crops throughout the Middle West have had their first real chance to get a start in the last two days of warm weather and sunshine.

Other temperatures, furnished by the United States Weather Bureau:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	90	68
Boise, Idaho	50	40
Boston, Mass.	56	48
Buffalo, N. Y.	64	52
Calgary, Alberta	46	38
Denver, Colo.	72	44
Des Moines, Iowa	78	60
Dodge City, Kan.	78	52
Duluth, Minn.	68	50
Durango, Colo.	68	34
Eureka, Cal.	52	44
Flagstaff, Ariz.	66	42
Fresno, Cal.	66	48
Galveston, Tex.	80	..
Havre, Mont.	56	34
Helena, Mont.	48	36
Huron, S. D.	68	38
Jacksonville, Fla.	80	70
Kamloops, B. C.	68	40
Kansas City, Mo.	80	60
Knoxville, Tenn.	76	64
Memphis, Tenn.	86	66
Modena, Utah	68	36
Montreal, Quebec	56	50
Moorhead, Minn.	68	46
Mt. Wilson, Cal.	..	46
New Orleans, La.	86	66
New York, N. Y.	54	48
North Head, Wash.	52	40
North Platte, Neb.	74	42
Oklahoma City, Okla.	92	68
Omaha, Neb.	78	..
Pasadena, Cal.	..	54
Phoenix, Ariz.	92	64
Pittsburgh, Pa.	78	62
Pomona, Cal.	..	50
Portland, Or.	60	42
Rapid City, S. D.	64	40
Red Bluff, Cal.	58	50
Redlands, Cal.	..	48
Reno, Nev.	48	34
Riverside, Cal.	..	46
Roseburg, Or.	58	42
Roswell, N. M.	92	56
St. Louis, Mo.	84	66
St. Paul, Minn.	70	52
Sacramento, Cal.	60	48
Salt Lake City, Utah	54	38
Santa Barbara, Cal.	..	54
San Bernardino, Cal.	..	49
San Diego, Cal.	64	56
San Francisco, Cal.	56	50
San Luis Obispo, Cal.	58	48
Seattle, Wash.	56	40
Sheridan, Wyo.	56	32
Spokane, Wash.	58	34
Swift Current, Sask.	46	..
Tampa, Fla.	82	74
Tonopah, Nev.	54	42
Washington, D. C.	64	56
Williston, N. D.	62	40
Winnemucca, Nev.	48	36
Winnipeg, Man.	64	46
Yuma, Ariz.	94	64

SUIT FOR DAMAGES.

An action was filed in the United States District Court yesterday by Robert L. Willits against the Santa Fe Railway, asking for a judgment for $20,000, for injuries suffered by the complainant on account of an accident to a passenger train en route from Corona to Los Angeles, on August 4, 1915.

Toll.

THREE VESSELS ARE SUNK; FRENCH SHIP RESISTS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 23.—Lloyd's shipping agency today reported the sinking of three ships, a Greek and a British steamer and an Italian sailing vessel.

The Greek steamship Admantios Korais, of 2947 tons gross, was sunk by the Austrians in the Mediterranean. The crew was saved.

The Italian sailing vessel Fabbricotti-F was sunk in the Mediterranean.

The British steamship Rhenass of 285 tons gross was sunk by a mine. Seven of her crew were killed.

CREW IS RESCUED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 23.—Capt. Cooke of the American steamship Camino reported to the American Consul-General at London today that he had rescued the officers and crew of the British steamship Ross, which was sunk by a German submarine, April 25. Capt. Cooke said that the men were given half an hour to leave the ship, which was then blown up. Shortly after the crew was taken aboard the Camino, the captain said, a submarine came alongside, but disappeared on learning the identity of the ship.

CAPTAIN A PRISONER.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

MARSEILLES (France) May 23.—Information received here today concerning the loss of the French steamer Languedoc, 1612 tons gross and owned in Marseilles, shows that she was sunk in the Mediterranean on Saturday by a submarine. Capt. Pierre Battisti was taken away a prisoner on board the submarine on the ground that he attempted to defend his ship. The Languedoc was sunk by shell fire from the submarine, which killed one member of the crew and wounded two others seriously and ten slightly.

NORWEGIAN BOAT SUNK.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, May 23.—The Norwegian steamer Tjomo has been sunk near Alcudia, Island of Majorca, by an Austrian submarine, according to a Havas dispatch today from Palma on that island. The crew of seventeen men was saved.

The Tjomo was a steamer of 1452 tons gross, built in Newcastle in 1892.

Innuendo.

AUSTRIA IS SUSPICIOUS OF WILSON PEACE MOVE.

Vienna Newspaper Fears it has been Dictated by Political Motives, Prompted by Conceit of the People Who Would Like to See the President in the Role of Initiator.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VIENNA, May 22 (via Berlin May 23, to London.)—The peace stories emanating from the United States have vied with the news from Tyrol for the most favorable position in the Austrian newspapers.

The Neue Freie Presse devotes a two-column leader to their discussion. The paper assumes a receptive attitude, apparently fearing that the entire movement, which, it says "is now so obvious in the United States," has been occasioned chiefly by political considerations and if not by these, has been prompted by "the conceit of the people, who would like to see President Wilson in the role of peace initiator, that his name and his country might be connected with the greatest event in history.

"The American policy of might," continues the paper, "has led to struggles of conscience, and it is possible to understand the desire to add to the advantages gained through the delivery of capital and ammunition the renown of having brought to an end the most earnest tragedy in human history. The thought that the only great power not drawn into this war might take up the occupation of throwing its entire political and moral influence toward ending the bloodshed is certainly worthy of a striving people, one of the mightiest in culture among nations and one connected by so many thousand ties of memory and relationship with Europe.

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Senator Phelan and Senator William Alden Smith of Michigan both made speeches commenting in a warm way on both projects and praising San Diego for its generosity and altruism. Senator Smith said that San Diego never has had what it is entitled to. He roasted the administration for its failure to complete and improve the government coal docks at San Diego.

All told the rivers and harbors bill carries appropriations amounting to $2,304,250 for various California projects, all the others being in the northern part of the State.

FAVOR NEW YORK IN HARBOR BILL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Consideration of committee amendments to the rivers and harbors appropriation bill was completed by the Senate today after two weeks of debate. The only important change made has been the restoration of a $200,000 appropriation for deepening East River, New York, which was put into the bill by the House at the request of the President and stricken out by the Senate committee.

Many Senators have amendments and Senators Kenyon and Sherman have shown no signs of abandoning their filibuster, so there is no saying when a final vote will be reached. Opposition to the measure was stimulated today by an announcement by Senator Taggart, Democrat, that he would not vote for it unless the $43,000,000 total was reduced by fifteen or twenty millions.

Over a vigorous protest by Senator Smoot, the Senate sustained a committee provision for a preliminary survey of the Brazos, Colorado and Trinity rivers in Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana and Oklahoma, to determine plans for flood prevention and the extent to which the national government should co-operate with the States in carrying out the plans. The Utah Senator contended that the surveys would duplicate previous investigations and that the work should be done entirely by the States.

Increased appropriations for maintenance and development of the upper Mississippi River were voted in by large majorities.

NOTE TO ENGLAND READY TO BE SIGNED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, May 23.—A completed draft of the new note to Great Britain protesting against interference with neutral mails was sent to the State Department today by President Wilson for transmission to London. It probably will go forward tomorrow, when Secretary Lansing, who has been ill for several days, returns to his desk. The Secretary had planned to sign the note at his home so that it might be cabled tonight, but decided late this afternoon to wait until tomorrow.

CROP DISASTER REPORTED IN RUSSIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, May 23 (via Sayville.)—A crop disaster in Russia is reported in advices received from Stockholm by the Overseas News Agency. It is said all the winter crops of the northern and middle governments of Russia have been destroyed by a severe frost.

FALLING OFF IN CROPS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME (May 23.)—The International Institute of Agriculture reports that the winter crops of Hungary are short in acreage and have been damaged seriously by the severe weather.

The present report indicates that Italy's wheat acreage is 5.9 per cent. under that of last year; British India 17.5 below last year, and the United States 21.4 for winter wheat.

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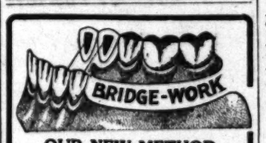

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Impetus for Root.

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paign when his candidate, Simpson, ran fifth.

THE VICE-PRESIDENCY.

The Vice-Presidency is becoming an interesting topic of conjecture. Senator Kenyon, the Iowa Senator who has recently made himself famous by his fight against the graft provisions of the Rivers and Harbors Bill, has started a boom for Senator Works of Los Angeles for Vice-President. This boom has the active support of Senator Gallinger. Senator Borah and the acquiescence of Senator Lodge. The other Senators receive it with varying emotions. As a general thing, it has been well received. Senator Works is much respected in the Senate.

The principal obstacles to his candidacy are these:

If Hughes is the nominee, it would be embarrassing to the party to have as his running mate Senator Works, who made a speech condemning the action of a Supreme Court Justice in dabbling with politics.

Should Root be the candidate, there will be a call for a young man for Vice-President. In either case a candidate from west of the Mississippi will be desirable. Borah could undoubtedly have the nomination on a silver plate if he would take it, which he probably will not.

The understanding here is that Frank Hitchcock, the political manager for Judge Hughes, is insistent that a western man shall be the nominee for Vice-President. His object, of course, is to cut into the territory where T. R. is thought to be strongest.

Some of the Senators and Representatives from the far western States are also very insistent. There are States like Nevada and New Mexico where a few hundred stampeding Pregressive votes would carry the whole State.

MISSOURI ELECTS STIFEL CHAIRMAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS (Mo.) May 23.—Otto F. Stifel of St. Louis, former Federal League magnate, today was elected chairman of the Missouri delegation to the Republican national convention. He defeated former Gov. Hadley of Missouri by a vote of 21 to 7.

Sentiment for the nomination of Charles Nagel of St. Louis for Vice-President was expressed among the delegates who attended the caucus, but Mr. Nagel requested that his name be not voted on at present and suggested that the Missouri delegation await developments at the Chicago convention.

Clubs.

WOMEN'S BIENNIAL OPENS; MORE DELEGATES COMING

Over Three Thousand Already in New York with Ten Thousand Visitors—Miss Margaret Wilson Guest of Honor—Mrs. John Hays Hammond to Give Luncheon, but California Candidate is not Invited.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—The thirteenth biennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs of America opened here today with 3000 delegates and alternates present, besides approximately 10,000 visitors, including the husbands of about a thousand delegates. The first general session of the convention will be held tomorrow night, and by that time it is expected another 1000 delegates and alternates will have arrived.

The visitors to the city have been escorted to hotels and boarding houses without incident by reception committees, assisted by Boy Scouts. Preparations have been made to entertain many more delegates than have arrived. A list of "don'ts" sent to women's clubs throughout the country, warning delegates against possible perils that might beset them in the metropolis, was cited today by some members of the local Arrangements Committee as a factor in keeping down the attendance.

DON'T'S FOR DELEGATES.

The "don'ts" suggested by the New York biennial board were:

"Don't select a hotel or place to board without advice.

"Don't call in a physician without advice.

"Don't go to any strange place alone without consulting our information bureau.

"Don't go into a house if you are suddenly taken ill on the street; look for a drugstore.

"Don't engage a taxicab or other conveyance except at authorized stations, and avoid riding alone at night if possible.

"Don't let your sympathy be influenced by any one in apparent distress; if you must help, first call a policeman.

"Don't accompany a stranger on any pretext, however plausible, for many of the most vicious are apparently respectable.

"Don't carry all your money in one place and avoid displaying it in public.

"Don't forget to lock up money and jewelry when absent from your room."

MISS WILSON HONOR GUEST.

The convention officially opened this morning at 10 o'clock with brief meetings of the department chairmen and the board of directors. The board meeting tomorrow night will be held at the Seventh Regiment Armory, with Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the President, as a guest of honor.

Today was "New Jersey Day" and immediately after the business meetings the board members, headed by Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, the president, and Mrs. William Jennings Bryan, accompanied by more than 600 delegates, left in special trains for Orange, N. J., to attend a reception given by Thomas A. Edison and Mrs. Edison, one of the leading club women of her State.

The Edison home could not accommodate the throng and many of the visitors stood outside in the rain, waiting to be presented. After the reception the inventor delivered a brief address on suffrage and preparedness. When he had finished, the guests sang "The Star Spangled Banner."

It was officially announced tonight that delegations are here from forty-eight States.

CAMPAIGN FOR PRESIDENT.

The campaign for the presidency is being vigorously waged by the supporters of Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath of Tiffin, O., and Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles of Los Angeles.

Interest in the presidential election deepened tonight when some of the 200 delegates from Illinois declared they will be prepared to introduce a new candidate. They announced Mrs. John D. Sherman of Chicago as their favorite. She was recording secretary of the federation eight years ago.

The Maryland delegates brought with them a "boom" for Mrs. B. W. Corkran, Jr., of Baltimore, formerly president of the Maryland federation. It was announced an attempt would be made at a caucus tomorrow to induce Mrs. Corkran to enter the field.

Men, mostly New Yorkers, are displaying much interest in the convention. More than 1500 have applied for admission tickets during the last two days. They will be permitted to occupy seats in the visitors' gallery.

Most of the 1000 or more husbands who accompanied delegates will attend the sessions of the convention. About 200 of them, however, have formed a "lonely husbands' club" to explore the city.

MRS. HAMMOND'S LUNCH.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—The big event of the biennial session tomorrow is the luncheon which Mrs. John Hays Hammond is giving for the local biennial board of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at the Hotel Astor to the State presidents, the general board, and at least 100 other well known women. Not a name of the many oftenest heard in connection with the biennial is missing from the list of invitations save one. The exception is Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, California's candidate for the presidency of the General Federation.

There is a feeling among supporters of Mrs. Cowles that the missing invitation shows which way the administration breeze will fan the election of May 31. Mrs. Samuel B. Sneath of Tiffin, O., the opposition candidate, will be present.

Budget.

DAILY EXPENSE OF WAR CUT DOWN BY BRITISH.

Over Billion and Half Dollars of Credit is Voted by House of Commons Which will Keep Allies Financed Until Middle of First Week in August—Winston Churchill Makes Suggestions.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, May 23.—In moving the vote of credit for £300,000,000 as had been forecast, in the House of Commons today, Premier Asquith commented that this was the eleventh vote since the beginning of the war and the second for the current financial year. The total granted this year, he added, was, therefore, £600,000,000, making a grand total of £2,382,000,000.

In proposing the vote of credit, Premier Asquith laid before the House of Commons an account in some detail of the government's recent financial operations. He took up the period between April 1 and May 20, saying the actual outlay during those fifty days was £241,000,000.

Expenditures for the army, navy and for munitions in that time, accounted for £149,000,000, loans to allies and dominions for £74,500,000, and outlay for food supplies, railways and miscellaneous items, £17,500,000.

DAILY EXPENSE CUT.

"Eliminating the payments of the Bank of England in respect of advances abroad, for which allowances had been made in the previous votes, the daily average expenditure had been reduced to £4,600,000. There had been no increase, but a slight decrease in expenditures for the fighting forces. The total outlay was somewhat larger, mainly on account of loans to allies and dominions."

The Premier added he could hold out no hope of any appreciable reduction in expenditures. He estimated that the £300,000,000 asked would last until the middle of the first week of August.

The Premier said that the expenditure of £241,000,000 between April 1 and May 20—a daily average of £4,820,000—was the highest rate reached by Great Britain in any such period during the war.

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The House of Commons agreed unanimously to vote the credit.

CHURCHILL'S VIEWS.

Winston Spencer Churchill, former First Lord of the Admiralty, who has been opposing the government in the House of Commons since his return from the front, was the first speaker in the general debate initiated by the Premier's motion for the vote of credit. Mr. Churchill said it was unreasonable to expect the war to turn suddenly and decisively in favor of the allies. The contending armies were far too evenly matched to permit of such a change.

The allies felt that they were stronger and had a preponderance of men, Mr. Churchill continued, but against this was the central position of their opponents, the superior unity of their war direction and the advantage of being able to retain the initiative. The allies had larger reserves, actual and potential, than their enemies, and it was in the use which was made of them that the hope of final victory lay.

The frequency of the German and Austrian attacks on all parts of the front might be a sign of the measure of their strength, Mr. Churchill said, but it might be also a sign of the measure of their profound anxiety. If the Germans were beaten decisively they would be beaten by lack of men.

Col. Churchill urged that every serviceable man should be put in to lengthen and strengthen the fighting line.

The Pacific Slope.

COLORADO RIVER REACHES HIGH STAGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

YUMA (Ariz.) May 23.—The Colorado River reached the twenty-five-foot stage here today, discharging 80,000 second feet of water. It is believed that the present flood had reached its crest and the water now would gradually recede until the regular spring flood, which is expected three weeks hence. All levees are in good condition.

MAIL CLERK ARRESTED.

Globe Man Accused of Rifling Registered Pouches.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLOBE (Ariz.) May 22.—At different times for years past, serious mail depredations have been known in the postal service between Globe and Bowie. At one time over 100 complaints of loss were under investigation. It is believed the latest trouble of the sort has been cleared up, however, in the arrest of J. P. Ireland, a relief postal clerk, who has been doing extra work on the Bowie-Globe section. A decoy package of money was made up at the Miami postoffice by Inspectors Morse and Austin of San Francisco, who followed the package on the same train and who held Ireland under detention at Bowie while they searched the registry pouch. Of seven $5 bills placed within the envelope, only one was found, the envelope having been opened and cunningly resealed. But nothing could be found in the car or on Ireland of the other six bills, which had been marked for identification.

WILDCAT ATTACKS CHILD.

Mother is Rushing Boy to Hospital to Secure Pasteur Treatment.

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"IT CAN'T BE DID."

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OPPOSE SWITCHING CHARGE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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WESTERN PACIFIC SQUABBLE STILL ON.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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TRAIN CREW HURT IN WRECK.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

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County Horticultural Commissioners are arranging now for a [illegible] eral meeting, at which the [illegible] standardization law will be discussed, and a uniform system of inspection established. The [illegible] will undoubtedly be named [illegible] eligible lists of the State Civil Service Commission and will receive $3 per day while actively engaged, provided in the State appropriation act, passed at the last session of the Legislature.

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At a conference today of representatives of dock companies, railroad companies and steamship companies owning and operating wharves in Seattle to consider demands of the newly-organized United Dockworkers' Union for increased wages, the dock companies decided to increase the men's pay. The steamship and the railroad companies did not agree to make any advance.

OMAHA BUILDING STOPS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

OMAHA (Neb.) May 23.—Building operations in Omaha virtually ceased today when several hundred union men and approximately 1000 common laborers joined the strike started three weeks ago by unskilled laborers, who are demanding increased wages and an eight-hour day.

The labor situation in the building trades in Omaha began to show a serious aspect today. For more than a week a strike of common laborers has been in effect on several large buildings, but so far none of the unions of skilled laborers have taken action in their support. Today small disturbances occurred in the vicinity of various jobs and when the police responded the union workers left the buildings, declaring it was against the rules of their organizations to work under police protection.

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STRIKE IS AVERTED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

LITTLE ROCK (Ark.) May 23.—A threatened strike of conductors and motormen of the Little Rock Railway and Electric Company, which had been scheduled for last night, was averted when an agreement was reached between officials of the company and of the Little Rock Central Trades Council. The company, it was announced today, conceded all demands of the union.

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JOLT TO SUFFRAGE AND PROHIBITION.

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THE POLICE ACCUSED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—Police collusion with vice is given as the reason for the existence of social evils in Chicago in the report of the Committee of Fifteen, made public today.

WILSON PARDONS POOLE.

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WASHINGTON, May 23.—President Wilson today commuted to expire at the once the three-year prison sentenced imposed in 1915 at Los Angeles upon George Poole, alias George Moore, for smuggling opium into the country across the Mexican border. New evidence, the President was informed, would tend to establish his innocence.

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The fashionable world is seeking after something "different." The call has been answered by the maker of furniture with the popular "painted furniture," which has spread like wildfire, until now every one is looking for something especially unique in the way of decoration and design. The finest hand work is done on many of these pieces, and certain perfectly exquisite breakfast suites we are showing are a dream of colorful originality.

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Pasadena.

MINING LEADER DIES SUDDENLY.

Charles Grimes of Tom Reed Stricken with Apoplexy.

Former Vermont Senator Gets Out of Peace Society.

Letter for Preparedness is Resignation's Vehicle.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, May 24.—Charles Grimes, prominent figure in Southwest mining, died Monday night at Kingman, Ariz., from a stroke of apoplexy. Word of the demise, however, did not reach his family at the home, No. 127 South El Molino avenue, until late yesterday afternoon, when a telegram was received by Smiley S. Jones, former superintendent of the Tom Reed Gold Mining Company.

When Mr. Grimes went to Kingman several days ago he was in good health, and news of his death came as a great shock to hundreds of his friends in Pasadena.

Since 1885 Mr. Grimes had been a resident of Pasadena, and in his early days operated a restaurant, cigar store and billiard hall on South Fair Oaks avenue. His rise to fortune was spectacular and it was through his faith in the Tom Reed gold mine, the parent of those at Oatman, that he made wealth. He owned $5,000 shares of the capital stock and until the time of the last election, several weeks ago, had for seven years been its president.

He leaves a widow and two daughters, Zilla and Gladys. He was 57 years old.

In addition to his mining interests he was president of the Austin Biscuit Company, a member of many fraternal organizations, a Thirty-second-degree Mason, a member of Pasadena Lodge, No. 272, of Masons, of Council Chapter of the Royal Arch and of Pasadena Commandery of the Knights Templars. He was also a member of Pasadena Lodge, No. 372, of the Elks, a member of the Maccabees, W.O.W., and Knights of Pythias.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

OUT OF PEACE RANKS.

Declaring the position of the Massachusetts Peace Society is at variance with his opinions regarding preparedness, George F. Edmunds of No. 841 South Orange Grove avenue, formerly United States Senator, and until yesterday member of the peace society, has resigned from that organization, sending back the badge which he had held for several years. Mr. Edmunds, who for twenty-five years was United States Senator from Vermont, forwarded to the peace society a letter in which he says, in part:

"The motive and the purpose you have in view is quite in accordance with what every citizen known to me has, although they are engaged in what is known as making ready for hostilities of defense but never aggression. This much every intelligent and reflecting citizen must see, I think, to be essential to the existence of social or political government of any kind. Would anyone of intelligence doubt the right and necessity of the use of military power to protect the houses of a neighborhood against the attacks of banditti, or the resort to force—physical military force—to put into prison, under the judgment of the courts of law, any person or combination of persons resisting?"

CITY BRIEFS.

Students of the Pasadena High School were given an insight into the relation of the new Federal reserve banks to the banking system generally, when J. S. MacDonnell, vice-president, gave a talk.

New directors of the Pasadena Board of Trade re-elected all the old officers at a meeting of that organization at noon yesterday in the garden court of the Board of Trade. Those who will serve for the ensuing year are: Fred Elmer Wilcox, president; S. Hazard Halstead, vice-president; J. H. Pearman, secretary-treasurer.

Here's the latest stunt in saving your auto. Yesterday morning a big touring car drove up to the entrance of a South Fair Oaks cafe and dismounting from a seat, the driver carefully drew forth a pair of hand-cuffs from his hip pocket and clasped them lovingly about the steering wheel and throttle, checkmating any possible attempt on the part of would-be joy riders to make off with his car.

W. R. Jackson, second lieutenant of Co. F, Seventh Regiment, N.G.C., was chosen first lieutenant at the company election last night. J. D. Robertson, formerly an Ohio banker and for six years a member of the Ohio National Guard, was elected second lieutenant.

Strand, tonight! "The Good Bad Man" and "The Lion and the Girl."—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

GROVE PURCHASED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, May 23.—For a consideration of $22,000 cash George A. Gray today sold to Richard Cole the eleven and one-half acre Valencia orange grove on South Spadra avenue, where he has made his home for the last four and one-half years. Mr. Cole recently sold his holdings at Placentia.

Bowel Complaint in Children.

During the summer months children are subject to disorders of the bowels and should receive the most careful attention. As soon as any unnatural looseness of the bowels is noticed Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy should be given.—[Advertisement.

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Every fashion suggestion for this summer includes furs.

Summer prices are now on at Obrikat's. Summer prices on already low manufacturers' prices—meaning a real saving on genuinely excellent garments.

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The Harbor.

MARKS NEW ERA IN SHIPYARDS.

First Steam Schooners will be Built at this Port.

Contracts Let for Two Large Wooden Lumber Carriers.

Castings for Fortification Work are Now Arriving.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, May 23.—The contracts for the construction of the first steam schooners to be built at this port have just been awarded to C. E. Fulton. Work on the steamers will commence just as soon as necessary enlargement of the Fulton boat-building plant on Mormon Island can be made.

One of the steamers will be built for J. R. Haniffy & Co., and the other for Sudden & Christensen. Both firms are well known managing owners of big fleets of lumber carriers on the Pacific Coast, with headquarters at San Francisco. The contracts are the first of the kind for big wooden vessels to come to Southern California.

Each steamer will have a carrying capacity of 1,500,000 feet of lumber, ranking them among the largest wooden vessels engaging in the lumber trade. They will be 235 feet long with forty-three foot beam and seventeen-foot depth. The hulls alone will cost $112,000 each. This does not include the engines and boilers, for which the contract has not yet been let. Construction will take about eight months, and over 100 men will be employed continuously in the work.

"There is plenty of work for boat and ship builders on this Coast at present," said Mr. Fulton today. "Every shipyard on the Coast is running overtime to take care of the business offered and most are getting work at their own prices. The demand for ships is so great that it is not so much a question of price as of time in getting them out.

FORTIFICATION WORK.

A shipment of heavy castings for the mortor carriages at Fort MacArthur arrived today and work is being rushed on the foundations. Additional shipments are expected this week and the work of installation will begin as soon as the concrete work on the bases is completed.

It is expected that the first unit for the defense of the harbor will be completed in August, at which time it will be turned over to the Coast Artillery, the first detachment of which will be stationed here some time this summer.

There will be two companies of 328 men each in charge of the eight mortars to be erected here, but with the men also stationed here to guard the 16-inch guns to be erected later, the full strength of the post will be about 1000 men.

For the second time within a month the clothing store of Cannon & Balize was burglarized last night and the stock of fine Panama hats was taken. The first burglary resulted in the loss of nearly $200 worth of hats. Last night three hats valued at $25 each were taken. Both jobs were done by use of a jimmy on a display case outside the store.

San Diego.

EAGLES HAVE FROLIC.

Delegations from All Aeries of the State at Convention, Enjoying Hospitality on Both Sides of International Line. Begin Sessions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, May 23.—Eagles from every aerie in California were enjoying San Diego and Mexican border hospitality today preparatory to settling down tomorrow to the serious business of the annual convention. The Tia Juana regional fair and the race track drew many of the visitors, while many others visited the ocean-front resorts. A majority, of course, paid their initial visit to the international exposition.

The opening session of the convention, held at 2 o'clock this afternoon, was devoted to routine business and organization. A visit to the famed Mission Cliff gardens featured the afternoon and a banquet to the drum corps at the San Diego Hotel was the event of the evening.

GIRL COULD NOT WORK

How She Was Relieved from Pain by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Taunton, Mass.—"I had pains in both sides and when my periods came I had to stay at home from work and suffer a long time. One day a woman came to our house and asked my mother why I was suffering. Mother told her that I suffered every month and she said, 'Why don't you buy a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound?' My mother bought it and the next month I was so well that I worked all the month without staying at home a day. I am in good health now and have told lots of girls about it."—Miss CLARICE MORIN, 22 Russell Street, Taunton, Mass.

Thousands of girls suffer in silence every month rather than consult a physician. If girls who are troubled with painful or irregular periods, backache, headache, dragging-down sensations, fainting spells or indigestion would take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a safe and pure remedy made from roots and herbs, much suffering might be avoided.

Write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass. (confidential) for free advice which will prove helpful.

FISHERMEN TO AVOID UNION.

Working Agreement in Sight; Sea Harvest Still Goes Unreaped.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, May 23.—A conference between Italian and Austrian fishermen was held today as a result of which the strike of fishermen may be settled soon. The Italians refuse to join the union dominated by the Austrians but may enter a working agreement.

Meanwhile no fish are being received by local dealers, although they are more plentiful than for years. With the exception of the halibut nets of the Italians, no nets are set. The Italians have been bringing in a few halibut.

The wholesale dealers refuse to sign an agreement with the union unless all the fishermen are included. So far the union leaders have been unable to get all the fishermen to join.

Santa Monica.

PIONEER IS GONE.

Founder of The Palms Dies Suddenly at Santa Monica After Walking Streets Saturday—Wife of City Official Also Passes at Beach.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA, May 23.—Edward H. Sweetser, 71 years old, veteran of the Civil War, pioneer of the Southwest, and longer than thirty years a resident of Santa Monica, died suddenly yesterday morning at his home, No. 1437 Fifth street.

Mr. Sweetser came to California forty-five years ago, locating at first in Los Angeles. He was well known throughout the Southwest and was the founder of The Palms. His death came as a shock to the people here, who saw him about the streets Saturday night, and apparently in the best of health.

When Mr. Sweetser first came to California he engaged in the jewelry business in Ventura and then in Los Angeles. He invested his money in real estate on coming to this section, and is said to have left an estate valued at $75,000. He has been prominent in civic affairs, though not holding a public office himself, except on two charter committees.

Mr. Sweetser leaves his widow and a daughter, Mrs. Della S. Smith, wife of the principal of the Van Nuys High School. Funeral services will be held at 2 p. m. Thursday in the Presbyterian Church, Rev. W. H. Cornett officiating, and interment will be at Woodlawn.

OFFICIAL'S WIFE DIES.

Mrs. Eurana J. Marvin, wife of Charles J. Marvin, deputy Commissioner of Public Works, is dead here at the family residence, No. 165 Raymond avenue. Mrs. Marvin was 44 years old and came to California nineteen years ago. She leaves many relatives and friends in this section.

Dinuba.

IRRIGATION PLANS.

Estimated Cost of Tulare County Project is Six Millions and it is to be Largest in the State—Officials Favor Plans.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

DINUBA, May 23.—Organization work started today on a plan for formation of what will be the largest irrigation district in California and which if carried out according to present plans will result in the construction of a storage system and diversion canals sufficient for irrigation of 1,119,000 acres of land now included to the extent of 598,000 acres in the Kings, Fresno, Alta, Consolidated and Tulare Lake districts. The estimated cost of the project, for which preliminary plans have been made, is $6,000,000.

According to a report which has just been filed by L. A. Nares and I. Tellman, officers of the Fresno district, there is available from the flood of Kings River, 600,000 acre feet of irrigation water which can be impounded at Pine Flat. The Pine Flat site for the storage dam has been filed on by the Messrs. Nares and Tellman, who have agreed to deed their rights to the district officials if the plan is carried out.

KELP HARVEST RAISES STORM.

Seaweed Washed Ashore Vile to Nostrils, and Guards Must Really Work.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, May 23.—Nostrils of seaside dwellers and the feelings of various life guards are both offended to a degree that caused a formal petition of protest to be registered with the City Commissioners today. The reason is kelp. The strand people are forced to smell large quantities of the seaweed that is washing up on the beach, and the guards, accustomed to pose before the admiring crowd, find themselves ignominiously wielding spades and playing undertaker to decaying marine vegetation.

It is declared the kelp is loosened from the beds off Point Firmin by the potash makers. The petition to the commissioners asks that some action be taken to prevent the kelp people from wasting when harvesting the weed.

Hanford.

RAILROAD IS LOSER.

In a Case Involving More than Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, Court Holds State Commission was Wrong in a Rate Order Given the Santa Fe.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

HANFORD, May 23.—That the California Railroad Commission erred when it made an order giving the Santa Fe Railroad permission to depart from provisions of the long-and-short-haul ruling, without a hearing on the matter, was the comment of Superior Judge Short today when he gave the California Adjustment Company judgment for an aggregate of small claims for excessive freight charges totaling $215,000. Several thousand merchants in the San Joaquin Valley assigned claims for overcharges to the California Adjustment Company.

Actions were filed against the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific. Some claims are as small as 7 cents.

The contention was that the rate charged to local points—Hanford, Visalia, Tulare and twenty other cities and towns in the valley, is higher than the through rate to San Francisco or Los Angeles. The Santa Fe defense was permission given by the Railroad Commission. A long order to that effect was introduced, but no showing that a hearing was held.

The similar case pending against the Southern Pacific involves claims amounting to $200,000.

Long Beach.

KEEP SOLID FRONT ON FOLK DANCING.

MEMBERS OF EDUCATION BOARD IGNORE THE ANTIS.

Demand for Change of Attitude on Terpsichorean Instruction and Intermediate Institutions Disregarded Despite Recall Talk. Other News from the Seaside.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LONG BEACH, May 23.—Disregarding talk of a recall, members of the Board of Education tonight threw into the waste basket a demand from B. F. Bond and others that they change their attitude with regard to intermediate schools and folk dances. Petitions for the ousting of the board members are expected to follow.

Mr. Bond, who is aided by Dr. A. F. Hamman, L. M. Wood, J. W. Hand and eighty-four others, asked that the board revoke its stand favoring intermediate schools, insisted that folk dances be discontinued, that the schools be redistricted, that the board give more attention to reaching writing and arithmetic, and less attention be given to athletics, fete days and physical exercises. The petitioners protest against "the precedent established whereby children are called from classes to listen to arguments for the school bonds, thereby injecting politics into the schools and insubordination into our homes."

NEW GAS REGIME.

When the Southern Counties Gas Company takes over the gas holdings of the Long Beach Consolidated Gas Company and occupies its new offices June 1 electricity will be noticeable by its absence in the place. There will be no electric wire running into the building. Instead, the lighting, heating demonstrating arrangements will be operated with gas.

Today the officials of the new company announced that they will, the first day of the coming month, read the 13,000 meters of gas users in this city, and would thereafter collect for the supply. It has been announced the company will reduce the rate from the present level of $1 per 1000 cubic feet.

ASK FOR BULKHEAD.

Residents of the east strand, especially those near the new Belmont Heights pier, want a bulkhead and walk built at a cost of $50,000. J. J. Engledrum appeared before the city fathers today and reminded them of this want. The commissioners filed a similar request by the property owners almost a year ago, and filed the request again today, until they look into the project.

Fullerton.

FLEES TO OKLAHOMA.

Daughter of Fullerton Man Leaves Home with Baby and Fails to Inform Father—Word from East Locates Runaways at Grandmother's.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, May 23.—A three-day quest for his 20-year-old daughter, Mrs. Jewel Denkle, who disappeared from home at Brea Tuesday morning, taking her 13-months-old son with her, ended when Henry Walker learned that the girl had arrived safely at the home of her grandmother at Rose, Okla.

Neighbors told Walker of the flight of his daughter before he discovered her brief note of farewell. The note said:

"Well, papa, I have made up my mind this morning to leave. I know I won't find life a bed of roses, but I have a head and a mind of my own, and I expect to try to use them. So be good to yourself. May God bless you is my prayer.

"From Jewel to papa."

Shortly afterwards Walker began the search for his daughter which led him to Los Angeles after he had been unable to find any trace of her here.

There he wired the girl's grandmother at Rose, Okla., and Friday he received word that the girl had arrived, expecting to remain there.

WOMAN MISSING.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, May 23.—Appealed to by the family of Mrs. Francisco Cordoza, a well-educated Spanish woman, who left the home of her daughter May 10 and has not been heard of since, City Marshal Maple is conducting a search for the missing woman. She is about 60 years of age and does not speak English.

Promised.

PREACHES USE OF ADVERSITY

Being Good in Prosperity Easy, Says Evangelist.

Department Store Employes at Revival Meeting.

Lunches Served at Tabernacle Between Services.

SERMON SNAPSHOTS.

Lot's wife turned to salt before she turned to salt.

You can't produce fruit and connect me up with roots and grubs. The theory of evolution was blown to the dogdom come some years ago.

I some times think the devil doesn't want anything better than to get God's people to fighting over religious beliefs.

When you go out and see signs and demonstrations, manifestations, the devil and the toboggan slide ready for you.

Going to church is not service—it is worship. It requires definite work to do—bring His message to the people.

Don't be afraid of being called a fanatic or a crank. The world needs a few good oiled cranks.

When we turn our backs on God and become disciples of Jesus Christ we are in a state of spiritual adultery.

I could call names of people who once taught in the Sunday school or were active in church work back East, but I'll stop where, but who continue to answer to the roll call here are deserters of Christ.

"The only way God will get us of us into heaven is to keep us where we have to spend most of our time thinking about where the next meal's coming from," declared the evangelist Brown, yesterday afternoon in his sermon on "The Menace of the Ministry of Sufferings."

"When life sweeps close to song," he said, "it's easy to sing the words of the text. But when days come, it is natural to wonder if God has forgotten us. Sometimes if ever there is a time when we can leave us it is when life is going along like a grand song, but when the fires of affliction overtake us, then we know God. There come days when the question if God cares for us and everything seems to go dead wrong, when health slips from us, when friends forsake or betray us—and then comes affliction. Foolish, blind, deaf children that we are. Some day, days, when we look back over these years, we will discover that we were in the making—that the ways were best, that He was leading us in love.

KEYWORD OF FRIENDSHIP.

"The keyword to the sermon is God in the text is 'good.' Get that word clear in your mind.

"Some read the text and think it meant 'all things work together for prosperity in material things.' A lot of people think that this earth and the fullness thereof is God's then He's obliged to give us a good big slice. There are lots of folks who've got a headache because God hasn't given us rain riches on them. If there are many instances 'would be' in the making your little child a present of a mite and a match. He'd probably match and then 'would be' sorry. Willie.' Just so if God gives us some of you, His children, riches, we must be 'Good-by God.'

SAINTS BORE AFFLICTION.

"Neither is that promise of spiritual strength—perfect health. There are all sorts of instances abroad in the land that prove that God does great things for the soul, but to teach that physical perfection is a sure indication of a lack of affliction or of being devil-possessed is not to be true, then all the great characters of the Bible were in the devil's hands. There were men who knew many days of fiery affliction. There was Paul, full of suffering. The apostle sends forth the greatest message from the broken alabaster box of ointment, filling the air with perfume; the broken life of a man or woman with the love of God in it may be a rosary."

This sermon was heard by the largest day congregation that has yet assembled in the tabernacle. Last night there was a prayer meeting that taxed the capacity of the building. There were no seats reserved for employees of the big department store and for the Women's Christian Temperance Union delegates.

Mayor and Mrs. Rose occupied reserved seats on the platform last evening. They were guests of honor at a reception in the audience by Dr. Hamman and Rev. Brougher, pastor of the Temple Baptist Church, and the Mayor made a short address.

OLDEST INDIAN DIES AT BLYTHE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BLYTHE, May 23.—Mrs. Joseph, the oldest Indian squaw of the Mohave tribe, died here yesterday, aged 120 years. Her friends will have a funeral pyre several days in anticipation of her body not being cremated at sundown when the sun sets the logs and her body will be put on the younger members of the family death songs, feasting and dancing will be indulged in. The ashes will be buried according to the custom.

It is said that Mrs. Joseph was the only living Indian who could accurately relate the ancient history of the tribe, and cover many of the traditions found in the first colonization between Padres and Indians in Arizona.

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OLDEST INDIAN DIES AT BLYTHE

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BLYTHE, May 23.—Malaka, oldest Indian squaw of the Mohave tribe, died here yesterday, aged 110 years. Her friends erected for her several pyre several days ago in anticipation of her death and had it ready at sundown after she died. Her body was placed on the pyre and, while the younger generation sang death songs, her body and belongings were burned according to custom.

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FOR EXCHANGE — WE HAVE BUNGALOWS, houses, lots, automobiles, grocery stocks and land to trade for the furniture and leases of apartments and rooming houses.
D. H. LINGLE CO., 927 Story Bldg. 64106.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 20 ACRES, FINE ALfalfa land, value $2000. Mortgage $1500. Wanted rooming or apartment house. DODGE-EBRTY, P. O. Box 343, Los Angeles, Cal.

APARTMENT HOUSES—
For Sale, Exchange, Lease, Wanted.

FOR SALE—CASH OR TERMS, BEST PAYING 31-room apartment-house, lease and furniture. Will take auto or acreage as part payment. Price $1800. OWNER, 243 E. 1st, Long Beach.

FOR SALE—
Furnished Flats

FOR SALE—$125 TAKES 5-ROOM FLAT; RENT $12 month; 3 rooms rented. 910½ E. NINTH ST. Broadway 6220.

WANTED—EASTERN OR NORTHERN FOR $1600 equity in 6-room cottage, Corona well located. Address N, box 416, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

GOVERNMENT LAND—

THE VALLEY WHERE I HAVE LOCATED OFfers an exceptional opportunity for young men and others looking for desirable government land. Smooth, rich, productive soil, free from alkali, adobe and hardpan, fine for alfalfa, grains and fruit; also adapted to stock raising and beet culture. Plenty of pure water, proven and developed at shallow depth. Good roads and post-office established. In beautiful valley, 3000 feet elevation, having good rainfall, ideal climate and free from wind. Call to see me at my store, 8 till 9 gladly show you samples of the soil, things growing and photos. We want good neighbors to help us develop this country. MR. LONG, 122 S. Hope st.

CALL AT ONCE FOR RELIABLE INFORMATION about several choice claims, rich, level land, water at $50 per acre located at Mariopa, Arizona, on the main line of the Southern Pacific and Arizona Eastern Railroad. All terms and a good commission for you on the sales. See E. HERRON, 411-415 Trust and Savings Bldg. Phone F7366.

2-YEAR-OLD BUDDED WALNUTS,
INTERSET WITH APRICOTS, $475 PER ACRE.

2-YEAR-OLD LEMONS AND VALENCIAS, ... $625 PER ACRE.
IN TRACTS TO SUIT.

One-fifth cash, balance 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. Company will care for property at cost for reasonable time. You can raise beans between the trees until they are older, which go a long way toward cost of cultivation and care. Come to our office and see the pictures taken on the property, then we'll show you the goods if you like our story. Sales already approximate $100,000, and all land surveys not yet completed. The citrus and walnut portion of the ranch is platted and ready, and is selling. IS SELLING. Don't delay if you're interested, but call at once.

STRONG, DICKINSON & McGRATH,
1015 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

OIL PROPERTY—

FOR SALE—BEST OIL PROPOSITION IN CALIfornia. If interested leave your address at 128 N. BROADWAY, Room 17, and I will call on you.

ORANGE & LEMON GROVES—
For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES IN FULL-BEARING Valencia grove, except 75 navel trees, located at Yorba, Orange county, Cal. Plenty of water, California Limited train leaves Los Angeles daily with $40.00 or $5000 crop on trees; property will pay 20 per cent. net on the money invested; will take up to $3000 in trade. If desired, will build house and buildings; free pasture adjoining range. $110 PER ACRE. HUBBARD & HALL, 303 Citizens' Bank Bldg.

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FOR SALE — 320 ACRES, $35 ACRE CASH or greatest alfalfa land for sale in Imperial county. Finest alfalfa soil, water only twenty feet. Near railroad, soon to be surveyed for power line. Owner, 1547 SIERRA BONITA AVE.

FOR SALE—$1050 EQUITY IN 40 ACRE PARcel, cream of Chowchilla ranch, Madera county. Outside losses country extraordinary; price. See KILDALL, 822 Trust & Savings Bldg.

FOR SALE — 32-ACRE FRUIT AND POULTRY ranch, including fruit, poultry and stock. Address L. HOCH, Santa Rosa, Sonoma county, Cal. R.D. No. 3, Box 170.

FOR SALE—
Beach Property.

FOR SALE—
Huntington Beach.

TRY TO HUNTINGTON BEACH.

We are interested in the purchase of lots for cash at Huntington Beach be at the office of Hyde Thursday morning and go to the beach at my expense. H. L. Johnson Huntington Beach Co., 634 S. Spring St.

FOR SALE—
Long Beach.

FOR EXCHANGE—8 ROOM HOUSE, Long Beach. Address S, box 30 TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR SALE—
Hermosa.

$50-$25 SECOND ST., CORNER BAY lots, 40 feet, 6-room house, garage, chicken houses. Address BLANE & Hermosa Beach, Cal.

FOR SALE—
Santa Monica.

$2500 60x132 TO ALLEY, 25TH ST. Santa Monica, 2 houses, 4 rooms each. 2005 EL CAPITAN ST., Hollenbeck Heights.

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Select tracts of from 5 to 80 acres from owner. Prices on terms to suit; only $50 cash and balance on easy terms; or by the time your property is paid for it will be worth double what you paid for it. Let us have your orchard experts care for it at a minimum cost. See this property and watch the development of oranges, grapefruit, lemons and walnuts under irrigation facilities; improved roads are being built; soil, especially suitable for citrus fruits. Our autos make daily trips to prospective buyers. Call, phone or write

L. L. BRAND,
In Russell or Maple, with
EDWIN G. HART,
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ARE YOU INTERESTED IN CALIFORNIA!
Then go to Bear Valley, near Bear Lake, San Bernardino county, beautiful mountain valley 12 miles long by 2 miles wide, 5000 feet above sea level; 2 acre, half cash. Magnificent pine timber. Good roads now open. Nothing better. Only $100 per acre. Will exchange for oranges, 17 acres walnuts, 10 acres alfalfa, etc. Grounds highly suitable for acre, semi-acre tracts. Write Santa Barbara, partly in lemons and walnuts, 5 acres, very cheap.
H. C. SEYMOUR & CO.,
Suite 1221 Hollingsworth Bldg.
A5537.

FOR SALE—RAMONA ACRES, $250.
ON GARFIELD AVE.
Almost a full acre on the east side of Ramona Acres; 12 miles south of Pasadena; water piped, should increase in value rapidly; is built-up section; can handle for $10 cash, $5 per month, no interest. See P. M. BARKER, with JANES INVESTMENT CO., fourth floor Metropolitan Bldg. Phone Broadway 6000, Main 8165.

FOR SALE—ARCADIA ACRES.
On beautiful Santa Anita boulevard, 1 mile from Arcadia; 5-acre tracts; highest, level land; beautiful trees, lots also have fruit trees; for chicken ranches, only two blocks from car; only two to three to the acre; sacrifice for $1250; easy terms. See STEWART & WELLSPEAKE, 518 Pacific Electric Bldg. F2234.

FOR SALE—ACRE HOME, $2650.
Beautiful building site; 5-room house; sacrifice; in fine location on BOULEVARD, 2 blocks from car; 1 acre, fine soil, all cultivated; variety of fruit, trees, berries, vines; 3 miles from Los Angeles P. O. Call at 1344 S. Hoover st., Central Bldg. 62402. Home 24961.

FOR SALE—
THE BEST ACRE BUY
IN THE SOUTHWEST.
$1000; terms if desired to suit; or $10 per month; 1 acre land, near town of Baldwin Park; all level; 3 miles from Monrovia; 2 miles from Arcadia; water; electricity; some fruit trees. Call or address owner, 1344 S. Hoover st., Central Bldg. 62402. Home 24961.

FOR SALE—THREE-ACRE CHICK RANCH, near Monrovia; only $1000; terms; fine soil, water and electricity; some fruit trees. Call or address owner, 1344 S. Hoover st., Central Bldg. 62402. Home 24961.

FOR SALE—HAVE A NUMBER OF GOOD HOMES for sale. Also some for exchange for vacant lots. Call, phone or write ETHAN S. DODGE, 353 Hibernian Bldg.

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Altadena.

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5 ACRES AND UP—
Choice location, 26 miles from Pasadena Ft. in the frostless district; all under irrigating plant with 40-ft. head. Two miles every day; terms to suit.
W. F. REYNOLDS,
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$30,000 AT 5½ PER CENT.
For Downtown Property Only.
$80,000 AT 6 PER CENT.
Will loan to 35 per cent. of value.
$100,000 AT 7 PER CENT.
Will loan to 50 per cent. of value.
(Least two sums divided to suit.)
NORMAN INVESTMENT CO.,
615 Story Bldg. F7128.

QUICK LOANS—
SECOND MORTGAGE MONEY.
If you need money for taxes, interest or for any other purpose, we will loan you $50 to $1000 at lowest rates. You can repay as convenient, reducing interest.
Our own money. No commission. No title or attorney fees. Ample supply.
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WE WILL MAKE CONSERVATIVE LOANS on real estate in Los Angeles and vicinity up to $50,000 at moderate rates. We loan our own funds, and will give prompt and courteous attention to applications from owners.
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1190 J. W. Hellman Bldg.
F8822. Broadway 8906.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE—Large amounts, apartments, stores, flats, ranches, IN SUMS OF $50 TO $20,000 AND UP. Cash for first mortgages. Straight building loans if desired. Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent, and up. We act as brokers, placing very large loans. No commission charged on your loan. CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE COMPANY, 620 Washington Building. Phone 10449.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS. Money waiting. ERNEST R. FAIR CO., 517 Grant Bldg. F6256.

TO LOAN—WANT TO MAKE A FEW BUNGALOW or residence loans at 7 per cent. A5706. 222 Laughlin Bldg. Main 6792.

WILL LOAN TO PRINCIPALS, $15,000, 5 PER cent, 3 years, on improved city. HARTJE, 217 Bldg. A4630.

$3000—2d mtge, $4000 AND $6000 On improved city property; 7 per cent. 240½ W. EIGHTH. 304 Van Nuys, M. 2938.

TO LOAN—CITY, $60,000; RANCHES, $1000 TO $30,000; lowest rates. CHAPPEL-CHAPPEL, 616 Lissner Bldg.

HAVE $500 FOR INVESTMENT, SECOND LIEN trust deed. Reasonable interest and quick action. BROWNE, 69581. Main 4258.

$4,500 TO LOAN ON 12-ROOM BUNGALOW; $2,500 ON 6-ROOM; $1,000 ON 4-ROOM; all in bearing dates. Big income. Best date grove in California; value $20,000. MOYER & GILBERT, A4827. 202 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY. $7500 PER CENT., 60x 126 ft., close to Seventh and Valencia. 2 houses, 40 acres, corner improved $8500 per cent., 40 acres, corner improved cash, close to Pacific Electric; value $20,000. $3000, 7 per cent., 20 lot subdivision on Florence, value $15,000, not inflated. $14,000, Ninth st. close to Main and Spring sts., 42x81½ ft., value $30,000. $5000 at $1500 and $1000 loans at 7 per cent. See WEIR for Loans. 309 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED — $5000. FIRST MORTGAGE, $15,000 orange and lemon grove, 14 years old; full bearing, in A1 condition; cement underground water; 13 shares of water stock; will pay 8 per cent and $150 bonus for quick action. Call 709 HOLLINGSWORTH BLDG. A4289. Bdwy. 2767.

WANTED—ON APPROVED REAL ESTATE. As each lease do not last long enough to advertise, should be in touch with us in order to secure the best opportunities. F. A. PATTEE & CO., 620-621 Story Bldg. Main 7466. 00521.

WANTED—$1500, 8 PER CENT., FIRST TRUST deed, if desired, 60x140 feet, on 80-foot paved boulevard, close in, security new business income property, actual cash value $3500; this is a choice loan; no commission. M186 FAIR, 619 Grant Bldg.

WANTED—
$75,000.
To purchase 1000 acres proven oil, bean and lemon land, with abundance of water, in Ventura, Riverside or Orange county. Address F, box 467, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

MONEY WANTED—
Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—
I want to borrow $7500 on first mortgage for 2 years on business corner, located at 2001-3-5 E. First st., corner Savannah. Building constructed about three years ago. Corner lot 45x125 feet to alley. Go and look at property, then see me.
ALBERT T. ALLEN,
733 S. Hill st. Main 2226

WANTED—MONEY:
$4000—3 years at 7 per cent., on 10 acres Valencia, oranges on boulevard, 3 years old. Near Whittier and car line. Cheap water. Moral risk A-1.
$5000—3 years at 7 per cent., on beautiful large corner on Pico. Value $15,000.
$8000—3 years at 8 per cent. on large property. Lake Tahoe. Value $40,000. Insurance $22,000. Income $2000 per year. Moral risk exceptionally good.
Main 3004. FRED G. SMITH. P2720.
315 Marsh-Strong Bldg.

WANTED—
$4000—7 PER CENT. NORTHWEST. FRAME AND PLASTER APARTMENTS. VALUE $9000.
$3500—7 PER CENT., MODERN RESIDENCE. GLENDORA. ACTUAL VALUE, $8000. OWNER'S HOME.
$2500—8 PER CENT. VERNON AVE., NEW BUNGALOW.
$4000—7 PER CENT. NORTH WILSHIRE. EIGHT ROOM RESIDENCE. VALUE $8500.
WINNE & RULE,
LOAN DEPT.
10175. 200 MARSH-STRONG BLDG. MAIN 5045.

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22 ACRES AND IMPROVEMENTS IN
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403 S. HILL ST. PHONES: 10175. MAIN 8040.

WANTED—MONEY.
$6500 for 3 years at 7 per cent. on North Wilshire brand-new flat building, very desirable. Principals only. W. A. LA CLAIRE, 735 Security Bldg. F2355.

WANTED—$12,500 AT 7 PER CENT., ON NEW white plastered 26 room flat building, finished in old ivory and mahogany. Located opposite Robert Marsh's $100,000 mansion in the exclusive country club district at 1207 Third ave., just north of Pico. Cash value $22,500; income $2250. Principals only. P. M. SIMPSON, 1232 Citizens Bank Bldg. F3727. Main 3585.

WANTED—$1100 FOR A $1400 FIRST TRUST deed, first incumbrance, lot 50x150, all street work and sewer, with 4-room plastered house, full set of plumbing, trust deed payable $10 per month and interest 7 per cent. Owner's home in West 37th place. Principal. Call 832 CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK BLDG. Phone F2240.

WANTED—
$1650 at 8 per cent., on lot nearly an acre, in highly restricted district, East Hollywood, within street's throw of a $35,000 residence now being completed. H. A. HENRY,
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
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To Address Jovians.

Florencio Constantino will speak at the meeting of the Jovian Electric League at Jahnke's Tavern at noon today on "Music is the Universal Language of Mankind."

A Concert for Students.

Antony Carlson, basso, will give a concert for the students of the Los Angeles High School in the school auditorium this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock. The programme is one of a course of entertainments arranged for the pupils.

Boys to Reign Supreme.

With eight boys as contestants, a boy at the piano, a chorus choir of forty boys, and boy whistlers and soloists, a silver medal contest will be held by the W.C.T.U., Friday evening, at the First Methodist Church in Hollywood.

Want Fire Fighters.

The "fire department" of the Polytechnic High School has issued a call for five new members. Fire Chief Kenneth Smith is busy inspecting the credentials of applicants. This organization is said to be the only one of its kind in Southern California.

Looking for Jobs.

Students of Polytechnic High School have organized a student employment bureau to locate summer jobs for pupils who wish to work during vacation. Circular letters have been sent to the leading merchants of the city and a generous number of replies are expected.

Sales Managers' Dinner.

The local branch of the International Sales Managers' Association will hold its monthly meeting and dinner at the Alexandria Hotel this evening at 6 o'clock. A programme of short address by the members has been arranged. All non-members of the organization will be welcome.

Methods of Incubation.

The monthly meeting of the Poultry Breeders' Association of Southern California will be held in The Times assembly rooms, First and Broadway, at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. P. Cook, proprietor of the Mammoth Hatchery, will speak on "Modern Methods of Incubation." The public is invited.

Next Session Here.

The East Liverpool (O.) Society, which held its annual picnic at Bixby Park, Long Beach, last Saturday, decided to meet next year in Sycamore Grove. The following officers were re-elected: C. T. Hard, president; J. R. Warner, vice-president; Edward Hassey, secretary; Alice Bucher, treasurer; E. W. Bartlett, press representative.

For Graduates.

Commencement exercises for graduates of the educational department of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held tomorrow evening in the association building. The graduates include eighty-nine from the educational, one from the Bible study, and five from the Sunday-school branches. There will be an exhibit of work in connection with the commencement exercises.

Another Commission?

"Shall Los Angeles Have a City Planning Commission?" will be the subject for discussion at the luncheon of the City Planning Association at Boos Brothers Cafeteria, No. 328 South Broadway, at noon today. Representatives of the Municipal League, City Club, Southern California Chapter of Architects, and various other organizations will take part in the discussion.

For Bible Teachers.

The Los Angeles Graded Union of Sunday-school teachers and workers will meet at 9:45 o'clock this morning in Berean Hall, Temple Auditorium, when Mrs. G. A. Crouch will present the subject of "Training the Teacher." Mrs. J. Walter Carpenter will lead "The Church School." There will be devotionals at 10:15 and lessons taught at 10:30 o'clock. At 11 o'clock Dr. Frederick Farr will continue his lectures on "The Life of Christ." All are cordially invited to attend these meetings.

For Building Fund.

More than 400 members of the Arcanium met in their hall, No. 327 South Hill street, last evening and jollified until midnight. A vaudeville bill, including seven numbers, singing, dancing, trained animals, monologues, in fact a well blanced show, proved highly entertaining. Dancing and a dinner followed. It was one of the most successful entertainments of the year and proved a huge success financially. The money from the sale of tickets will be devoted to liquidating the indebtness on the new building and club rooms.

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Two Men Found Injured in Elmira Street Report a Stranger Attacked Them with Iron Bar after Meeting in a Saloon.

The discovery of two badly bruised men lying in the gutter of Elmira street within a block of each other, last night, caused the police to start an investigation, searching for the murderous stranger who, the victims declare, knocked each of them over the head with an iron pipe.

The injured men are George Cross of No. 1462 San Fernando street, and his friend, John F. Downey of No. 282 Avenue Twenty-five. From the garbled accounts given to Patrolman Hickey and Edwards, who appeared on the scene shortly after the attack, the stranger had taken a violent dislike, to the friends while talking in an East Side saloon.

Shortly after the patrolmen discovered Cross, Patrolman Edwards saw a mysterious stranger disappearing down Elmira street. He ran after the suspect, who immediately started running also. Edwards fired several shots into the air, but the suspect turned suddenly and vanished into an alley. Cross was found at Elmira and Main streets. Downey was discovered lying a few yards away. Both men have severe lacerations and contusions.

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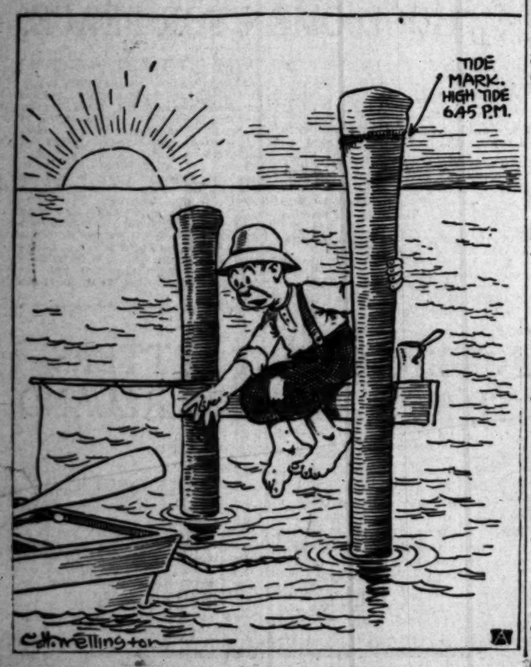

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Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of April, 1916:

APRIL, 1916.		Copies.
April	1	95,193
April	2 (Sunday)	110,340
April	3	95,384
April	4	95,226
April	5	95,049
April	6	94,924
April	7	94,864
April	8	95,142
April	9 (Sunday)	110,266
April	10	94,926
April	11	94,693
April	12	94,985
April	13	94,711
April	14	94,478
April	15	72,406
April	16 (Sunday)	106,880
April	17	94,225
April	18	94,283
April	19	94,214
April	20	94,321
April	21	94,208
April	22	94,956
April	23 (Sunday)	106,370
April	24	94,971
April	25	93,943
April	26	93,809
April	27	93,575
April	28	93,933
April	29	93,854
April	30 (Sunday)	108,330
Average for every day of April		72,925
Sunday only, average for April		100,656

HARRY CHANDLER,
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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of May, 1916.

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, May 23.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.82; at 5 p.m., 29.77. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 59 deg. and 59 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 82 per cent.; 5 p.m., 50 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 24 miles. Highest temperature, 67 deg.; lowest, 57 deg. Rainfall for season, 19.92 inches; last season, 17.05 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometer continues high on both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and comparatively low over the greater part of the United States. Heavy rain fell in Tennessee, Knoxville reporting 1.96 inches. Elsewhere the rains were scattered and generally inconsiderable. Frost occurred in Utah and Wyoming. The Pacific Coast experienced rain as far south as Eureka, and cloudy or foggy weather is reported in a majority of Southern California stations. The forecast is for unsettled weather, probably showers, Wednesday.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled weather, probably showers, Wednesday; light westerly winds. For Southern California: Unsettled weather, probably showers, Wednesday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 23.—Weather forecast: San Francisco, Oakland and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys and Southern California: Unsettled weather Wednesday; probably showers; moderate westerly wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Forecast for Arizona: Wednesday, fair in south portion, probably rain in north portion, cooler; Thursday, generally fair.

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

AMBORT—GRAGGEN, Aurelius Ambert, 21; Lena K. Graggen, 20.
BECERRA — MADALENO. Agustin Becerra, 26; Sirua Madaleno, 20.
BRUSOW — EARLEY. Walter H. Brusow, 22; Fern J. Earley, 20.
BRYANT—WOODALL. James F. Bryant, 44; Addie Woodall, 44.
CARSON—NETTLE. Harry S. Carson, 23; Frances O. Nettle, 23.
CRAMER—ROMERO. Earl N. Cramer, 26; Laura Romero, 24.
FARMER—KELLOGG. Howard Farmer, 23; Susie Kellogg, 21.
LAUGHLIN — CASEY. Arnold M. Laughlin, 22; Margaret Casey, 21.
LESTER—KENNARD. James G. Lester, 29; Rose M. Kennard, 28.
MILES—WINTER. Milo J. Miles, 40; Kate Winter, 36.
NORBERG—HOUSE. Edwin G. Norberg, 23; Clara M. House, 22.
OGLESTREE—GLADDEN. Harold J. Oglestree, 20; Antoinette M. Gladden, 18.
SALAZAR—CHIN. Joaquin Salazar, 19; Gertrude M. Chin, 18.
SCHRINER—HAYE. Alfred G. Schrine, 41; Rose A. Hays, 40.
TANNER—NAFFZIL. Alta R. Tanner, 23; Bertha M. Naffzil, 24.
TERHANET — FLYNN. Martin A. Tehaney, 28; Catherine Flynn, 26.
WALSH—LYKINS. Harold D. Walsh, 23; Keywe Lykins, 20.
WARNER—ROOF. Howry R. Warner, 35; Mary S. Roof, 34.
WORDEN—TUSSELL. James P. Worden, 40; Ella J. Tussell, 36.

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DALE, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
DENKHIE, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
DREW, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
GARBER, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
GRAHAM, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
JOHANNSEN, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
KELLOGG, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
KERSEY, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
MILES, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
MOORLESS, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
NOLEN, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
REES, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
ROBINSON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
ROBLES, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
SANDOVAL, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
THOMPSON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
UPPERMANN, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
WATSON, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]
WELNER, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible]

DIVORCE SUIT FILED.
OSBURN-LER. Anna S. [illegible]
FLOOD. Annie E. against [illegible]
GALLOWAY. Nancy Jane against [illegible]
HARWELL. Ruth B. against [illegible]
JOHNSTON. Annie M. against [illegible]
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MADISON. Laura against [illegible]
TUCKER. Ella M. against [illegible]

DIVORCE DECREES.
LIPPO. Charles from Alice P.
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MURRAY. Ethel from [illegible]
RHODEN. John A. from [illegible]
SONNTAG. William from [illegible]

OFFICIAL DEATH
Name and place of death—
BARTELS, Mary. Los Angeles.
DEWELL, [illegible]
McTRENT, Sarah. Los Angeles.
MILLER, Rella. Los Angeles.
BROOKS, H. Los Angeles.
SHORES, Ole. Los Angeles.
WOODBURY, Mary E. Los Angeles.
YAMASKI, Benkn. Los Angeles.

DEATHS.
With Funeral Arrangements.

BLACKBURN. At the residence of Mrs. [illegible] Blackburn and [illegible] Forty-eighth street, May 23, Elizabeth W. J. Bailey, a native of Ireland, aged 69 years.
Notice of funeral later.

CLARK. At her residence, [illegible] street, May 23, Edith J. Clark, late Gillis Clark, a native of [illegible], aged 64 years.
Remains at the chapel of the [illegible] Co.

LEE. In Alhambra, May 22, Stewart Lee, aged 55 years.
Funeral services at the chapel at 2 p.m., Wednesday, May 24. Interment private. Santa Ana.

MERRILL. At her residence, [illegible] May 22, Mary A., beloved wife of Merrill and mother of Mrs. Sherman R. Merrill, a native of California, aged 58 years.
Funeral from the residence (this day) at 5:30 p.m. Services at the Church at 9 o'clock. Interment at Rosedale Cemetery. Robert [illegible]

MOELLER. May 23, [illegible] husband of Emilie M. Moeller, father of [illegible] Friends are invited to attend the funeral, Thursday, from the residence, [illegible] Lorena street. Interment at Rosedale.

MORATT. At her late home, [illegible] Ninth street, Mrs. Ida Moratt, beloved mother of Mrs. Ida Moratt and Mrs. Maud O'Dell, a native of [illegible], aged 57 years.
Funeral services at the chapel of Brua & Co., No. 325, this (Thursday), May 25, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment Angeles Cemetery. (Boston papers please copy.)

PERKINS. At No. 661 South Main street, May 23, Albert A. Perkins, husband of Katherine W. Perkins, and father of Albert A. Perkins, Jr., a native of [illegible], aged 57 years.
Funeral from chapel of [illegible] & Co., No. 315 South Broadway, [illegible] Interment private.

PORTER. At No. 1119 West [illegible] street, May 23, William A. Porter, a native of [illegible]
Remains at [illegible]

RUGG. At No. 1132 East [illegible] Bonita, May 23, [illegible] W. A. Brown, funeral director.

STEIMAN. At the residence of [illegible] Downey, Cal., May 23, [illegible]
Funeral from the residence Wednesday, May 24, at [illegible]

SWANSON. At Alhambra, May 23, [illegible] aged 35 years.
Remains at the parlors of Co., No. 310 South [illegible] notice later.

SWESTHER. At Santa Monica, May 23, [illegible] Swesther, aged 71 years, [illegible] Swesther and father of Mrs. Van Nuys.
Remains at parlors of [illegible] Todd. Funeral notice later. Interment Inglewood Cemetery.

WILLIAMS. Funeral of Rose [illegible] be held this day (Wednesday) at 2:30 p.m. at Godeau & Martinoni Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
ATTENTION, [illegible]
Members of the Fern Parlor [illegible] are requested to attend the funeral services of our late sister, [illegible] Thursday, May 25, 2 p.m., at No. 1345 South Figueroa Street. Remains Cemetery.

HUGO HERTER, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
Members of Arbor View Parlor [illegible] are requested to attend the funeral of our late sister, [illegible] Co., No. 310 South Broadway, this day, May 25, at 1:30 p.m. Interment private. Services at 2 p.m. By order of

GERTRUDE BALDWIN, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
MILITARY ORDER OF [illegible]
Companions: Funeral of our late Maj. A. A. Pardee will be held from the residence, 1236 South Grand avenue, this day (Wednesday), at 2 p.m. Wear [illegible]

C. S. GILBERT, Recorder.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The Funeral Committee of [illegible] are requested to meet at the residence of Brother Rice, member of Rose [illegible] this day, 2 p.m., from [illegible] South Figueroa. Interment [illegible]

ROSE BENJAMIN, Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to extend our sincere thanks to many friends for [illegible] shown us in our recent bereavement in the loss of our beloved son. Many beautiful floral [illegible]

THIRD DEGREE NOTICE.
Turkish at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Visiting brethren are [illegible] Master Masons [illegible]

W. W. SHAMAN, Secretary.

LODGE NOTICE.
South Gate Lodge No. [illegible] M., will confer the [illegible] Wednesday evening, May 24, at [illegible] p.m.

Valuable Realty

FRANCIS ROSE ESTATE.
Petition for Letters of Administration is Filed by Son and Bank Capitalist. Who Died in City—Many Relatives in Union

The estate of Francis Rose, who died in this city [illegible] has a value of $140,000, is the petition for letters of administration, filed yesterday by the sole heir, Francis R. Rose. Rose owned valuable [illegible] the most valuable [illegible] Venice and worth [illegible] value of the [illegible] Mr. Rose owned [illegible] the stock of the [illegible] of Alexandria, [illegible] His holdings also [illegible] shares of [illegible] stated. The [illegible] worth $[illegible]

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BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

COOKE, Mr. and Mrs. James S. Daughter, East Forty-third street, May 22.
CORRALES, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Daughter, Hospital, May 22.
COX, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Son, Thirty-eighth street, May 18.
CROSS, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Son, Fifty-first street, May 18.
DALE, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert. Daughter, Relief Hospital, May 18.
DENSHIE, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Son, South Vermont Avenue, May 21.
DREW, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur. Son, May 22.
GARNER, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne. Son, Forty-sixth street, May 18.
GRAHAM, Mr. and Mrs. Henry. Daughter, Hospital, May 22.
JOHANNSEN, Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Son, Samaritan Hospital, May 19.
KELLOGG, Mr. and Mrs. George T. Son, 1522 Warren street, May 15.
KERNEY, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan S. Son, Dexter street, May 15.
MILES, Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Son, Hospital, May 23.
MOORLEIGH, Mr. and Mrs. Roman. Daughter, Mercier street, May 14.
NOLEN, Mr. and Mrs. Alva J. Son, Hospital, May 23.
REED, Mr. and Mrs. Martin R. Daughter, West Forty-seventh street, May 17.
ROBINSON, Mr. and Mrs. Robert. Daughter, Hospital, May 22.
ROBLES, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon. Daughter, St. Vincent's, May 22.
SANDOVAL, Mr. and Mrs. A. Son, 16 N. Alameda street, May 21.
THOMPSON, Mr. and Mrs. Milo. Daughter, South Hoover street, May 20.
UPTEGRAFF, Mr. and Mrs. Edward. Son, County Hospital, May 22.
WATSON, Mr. and Mrs. John I. Son, Hospital, May 19.
WELNER, Mr. and Mrs. Herman. Daughter, Relief Hospital, May 17.

DIVORCE SUIT FILED.

OSBRUNLER. Anna H. S. against Isaac B.
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OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Names and place of death—

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MILLER, Bella, Los Angeles.....
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With Funeral Announcements.

BLACKBURN. At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Minnie A. Smith, 1245 Blackburn and lasting mother of E. E. Blackburn, W. J. Gross K. Mrs. H. H. Simmons, a native of Maine, aged 68 years.
Notice of funeral later.

CLARK. At her residence, No. 824 East Fifty-second street, May 22, Edith Clark, a native of Iowa, aged 64 years.
Remains at the chapel of Bresee & Son Co. Funeral notice later.

LEE. In Alhambra, May 22, Lilly, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lee, aged 5 months and 28 days.
Funeral services at the residence, at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 24. Interment Santa Ana.

MITCHELL. At her residence, No. 1000 East Twenty-fifth street, May 22, Mary A., beloved wife of Thomas Mitchell and mother of Rachel E. and Lewis W. Mitchell, a native of California, aged 62 years.
Funeral from the residence at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 24. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

MOELLER. May 22, Carl Henry, beloved husband of Emilie M. Moeller and father of Emilie Carlyne Moeller.
Friends are invited to attend the funeral, p.m. Thursday, from the chapel of Pierce-Torrey-Germania Co., No. 315 West Fifth street, interment Rosedale Cemetery. Remains at the chapel of F. C. Ross & Son, No. 1460 South Figueroa street.

MORATT. At her late home, No. 849 East Ninth street, May 22, Mrs. Jennie Moratt, beloved mother of Mrs. Ethel Moratt and Mrs. Maud O'Dell.
Funeral services at the chapel of Bresee & Co., No. 315 Sixth street, Thursday, May 25, at 2 p.m. Interment Angeles Crematory. (Short Beach papers please copy.)

PERKINS. At No. 631 South Bonnie Brae street, Albert A. Perkins, aged 39 years, husband of Katherine W. Perkins and father of Alice Perkins.
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Remains at Bresee Mortuary.

RUGH. At No. 1132 Irolo street, Ruth, wife of W. A. Brown, funeral directions later.

STEEMAN. At the residence of her son, Denver, Col., Anna F. Steeman, aged 77 years, beloved mother of Mrs. Fred Hoffman.
Funeral from the chapel of Home Undertaking, May 24, at 2 p.m.

SWANSON. At Alhambra, May 5, Anna, aged 25 years.
Remains at the parlors of Bresee & Co., No. 310 South Broadway, where funeral notice later.

SWEETSER. At Santa Monica, May 22, Ernest Sweetser, aged 71 years, beloved husband and father of Mrs. Ida and Van Nuys.
Remains at parlors of Bresee & Co. Funeral services at the residence of Mrs. Todd. Funeral services at the First Presbyterian Church, Santa Monica, Saturday, May 27, at 2 p.m.

WILLIAMS. Funeral of Robert A. Williams will be held today at 9:30 a.m. from the chapel of Godfrey & Mattinson. Interment Evergreen Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

ATTENTION, TURNERS.
Members of the Turn-Verein Germania are requested to attend the funeral of our late brother, Louis Schmidt, which will take place from the chapel of Bresee & Co., No. 310 South Broadway, at 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 24, at 1:30 p.m., to interest in Rosedale Cemetery.
ERNST KERN, Secretary.
HUGO HOEFER, Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Members of Arbor Vitae Rebekah Lodge are requested to meet at the chapel of Bresee & Co., No. 310 South Broadway, on Wednesday, May 24, at 1:30 p.m., to attend the funeral of our late sister, Louisa E. Hall, at 2 p.m. By order of
MARIE JEWELL, Noble Grand.
GERTRUDE BALDWIN, Recording Secretary.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

MILITARY ORDER, LOYAL LEGION.
Companions: Funeral of our late Companion, Maj. A. A. Perkins, at Overland, 1236 South Grand avenue, Thursday, 2 p.m. Wear insignia.
CAPT. J. A. GIBSON, Commander.
C. S. GILBERT, Recorder.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The Funeral Committee of Fraternity Lodge, No. 329, F. and A. M., are notified to attend the funeral of Brother Fred Rice, late member of Fraternity Lodge, No. 329, F. and A. M., from Ralph's Funeral Parlors, No. 2 p.m., from Ralph's Funeral Parlors, South Figueroa, between 11th and 12th streets.
G. H. HALSEY, Master.
ROSS BENJAMIN, Secretary.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown us in our late bereavement, also for many beautiful floral offerings.
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THIRD DEGREE TONIGHT.

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock sharp. Semi-Tropic Lodge, No. 329, F. and A. M., are Children Lodge. Work in the third degree. All members and visiting brethren are cordially invited to attend.
E. E. BLACKBURN, Master.
W. W. SHAMAN, Secretary.

LODGE NOTICE.

South Gate Lodge, No. 720, F. and A. M., will confer the Master Mason degree (Wednesday) evening, May 24, at 7:30 o'clock sharp.
F. H. EVANS, Secretary.

Valuable Realty.

FRANCIS ROSE ESTATE

Petition for Letters of Administration Is Filed by Son and Sole Heir.

Capitalist Who Died in the City—Realty Holdings in Venice.

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Mr. Rose owned eighty shares of the stock of the First National Bank of Alexandria, S. D., which is valued at $100 a share. His holdings also included 100 shares of mining stock, which are stated. The personal property is worth $67,325.62.

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Pictorial City Sheet (II.)

California and the Coast—8 Pages

The Los Angeles Times

LXVTH YEAR. WEDNESDAY, MAY 24, 1916.—EDITORIAL SECTION. POPULATION By the Federal Census (1910)—319 198 By the City Directory (1915)—339,917

Bureau of Sanitation.

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The main causes for the three cities joining in solving the problem are outlined and the need for more concerted solution of sewering and disposal pointed out. "Sewage disposal in the West is deplorably antiquated," says the director, "and yet the public has not learned that there are more modern methods nor even to contemplate that higher prices must be paid henceforth for sewage disposal if the situation is to improve."

The present method used by Pasadena and on other city farms is spoken of as proving impossible as the country grows, and it is urged that a sane view of the subject should be had. "At present there is an unreasoning fear of sewage in every form which impels communities to adopt the most extravagant means of seemingly eliminating the problem altogether."

Discussing the proposed ocean outfall for the tri-cities and Los Angeles county inland cities generally, the director says it would be most unwise financially. "In the south, where land is thirsting for water, it is a vast economic blunder to waste sewage into the sea," he says. "An ocean outfall is financially and administratively an extravagant undertaking and the sewage cannot be disposed of in the sea without treatment to at least a point of clarification."

"WILL DESTROY BEACHES."

Director Gillespie asserts that ocean outfalls without treatment plants to at least clarify the sewage will destroy the beaches, which in the case of Los Angeles county are one of its great assets. Obviously, he adds, the public at large, much less the beach towns, will not permit the beaches to become a sewage dumping ground.

He notices that, in spite of the fact that the Southland has one striking example in the case of the Los Angeles sewage at Hyperion of the impotence of the ocean to care for large volumes of crude sewage, the public and the press nevertheless suggest ocean outfalls for all the county to get away from the necessity for treatment plants and sewer farms.

Ocean outfalls, he states, represent the most expensive solution of the problem and an entire waste of the sewage water. An outfall for the tri-cities would cost more than $1,000,000, including a treatment

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MAIN POINTS OF REPORT.

Why Director Gillespie Decided Against Ramona Acres-Montebello.

In his official report Director Gillespie of the bureau of sanitary engineering recommends to the State Board of Health that it grant as sought the permit petitioned for by Pasadena, South Pasadena and Alhambra to construct and operate a sewage treatment plant on the Repetto Rancho. The following points are made in the director's report:

That failure to obtain the desired sewage disposal will be a permanent block against legitimate inland sewage disposal which will retard improvement in Los Angeles county.

That a material element in the antagonism emanates from anticipated impairment of real estate values but defeat of plan would force cities backward and lose county the first modern installation for sewage disposal ever contemplated here.

That a sane view of the entire subject should be had. The antiquated methods now in vogue in Southern California have created an unreasoning fear of sewage.

That the present Pasadena farm is much more of a menace than the proposed works possibly can become.

That an ocean outfall plan for the three cities would be most unwise. Irrigation on land is the proper solution. The impotence of the ocean to care for large volumes of crude sewage is strikingly shown in the case of the Los Angeles outfall at Hyperion.

That the area proposed by the three cities is ideal. "Unfortunately a most persistent antagonism has been aroused against a most worthy project."

That sewer farming, or land treatment, is the only means of sanitary disposal open to the great majority of cities and towns, not alone of Los Angeles county but of the State at large.

Quick Work.

BITTEN FOUND GUILTY.

Private Detective Will be Sentenced Friday, Following Jury's Verdict Yesterday in Case Involving Money Bribe and Politics.

George Bitten, a private detective, was found guilty in a bribery charge by a jury in Superior Judge McCormick's court yesterday. He will be sentenced Friday. The jury was out only a little over an hour.

It was alleged in the complaint that on the night of December 24, 1915, Bitten offered William A. Bruton, at the home of the latter in San Francisco, a substantial bribe in money provided Bruton would testify in favor of Bitten in a case alleging grand larceny. This case was set for hearing in the local criminal court, in Febreuary last.

There was much bitterness and a good deal of local politics in the hearing. All day yesterday was taken up with the argument to the jury.

Reluctant.

FRANCIS GOES EAST.

Superintendent of Schools May Curtail Absence and Return Before Board of Education Acts on Appointment of Teachers for Next Year.

Feeling it imperative he should go to Columbus immediately, despite his wish to be present when the annual "chopping" is done by the Board of Education in deciding what teachers are to be dropped, Supt. Francis yesterday left Los Angeles. He was recently granted leave of absence until June 24, to visit Columbus and acquaint himself with conditions there.

Mrs. Francis remained in Los Angeles with her two sons. She will not go East until August. It was declared at the Superintendent's office yesterday that under certain conditions Supt. Francis may suddenly decide to curtail his leave of absence and return to this city before his intended time.

NO NEED FOR CLOTHES.

Victim of Aphasia Imagines Himself Wandering in Arcadia.

The finding of Luther Gross, 29 years old, a recent arrival living in a rooming-house at First street and Central avenue, wandering about Central avenue last night without his clothes caused Detectives White and Parsons to stumble upon a peculiar case of temporary aphasia. When brought to in the Receiving Hospital, Gross declared he had been struck over the head during an altercation in a downtown saloon. He had suddenly imagined himself in Arcadia and had apparently gone to his rooms to attire or rather unattire himself in readiness to enjoy his new life.

The next thing he knew, he declared, was coming back to earth in the hospital with nothing but a sheet to cover him.

Maybe So.

GOLD MINE FOR ENTOMOLOGISTS

Remarkable Butterfly Fraud Workings are Told.

Bug-hunters from Everywhere Come Accusing Sinclair.

Mountains of Insects Darken Federal Landscape.

Testimony purporting to bare the intricate inner workings of the remarkable alleged "butterfly frauds" was heard yesterday with the opening of the government's case against James Sinclair, on trial before Federal Judge Van Fleet on the charge of using the mails to defraud. A cloud of amateur butterfly catchers from all sections of the country, most of them witnesses, crowded restlessly into the courtroom, eager to see the man they accuse of having defrauded them face the Federal government and explain.

Several witnesses testified, and in almost every case the details of the alleged swindle were identical. In some instances these details were so explained that they appeared simple, but in other instances the testimony of the witnesses regarding their loss of money led through channels as intricate as a jig-saw puzzle.

From the consensus of testimony it appeared that the ultimate object of Mr. Sinclair was to obtain money by the sale of two books, composed and published by himself, and the further suggestion that a special edition of the standard works of a prominent entomologist be purchased. Mr. Sinclair is alleged to have been the agent for the publisher of this set.

To accomplish the sale of these books Mr. Sinclair is alleged to have gone to great trouble. When he was arrested by Postoffice Inspector Webster more than 2000 boxes of butterflies were found in his rooms in the Lincoln Hotel. These were exhibits in the case.

BUTTERFLY BAIT?

These butterflies are said to form the connecting link between the victim's money and the books. Sinclair is alleged to have advertised in newspapers all over the country, offering high prices for specimens of butterflies.

No specific address was given in the advertisements, those desiring to send in butterflies for approval being ordered to mail them to Box No. 224 of the local postoffice. As soon as a new prospect appeared in the form of an amateur butterfly collector at the postoffice box, Mr. Sinclair is accused of having deluged this prospect with literature, urging the client to purchase his books at $1 apiece, promising wonderful educational results from these volumes. At the time of this urging witnesses testified they were also led to believe their butterflies were receiving due consideration and careful examination, with excellent chances of purchase by Mr. Sinclair.

In the majority of cases the witnesses testified they had purchased the two books, but that when these books were received they contained little or no information of value and were nothing more than excerpts of several works by other persons. When they protested the alleged "book agent de luxe" would come back, according to the prosecution, with the statement that their butterflies were about to be purchased, and if they would only edify themselves further by purchasing from him a standard set on entomology at $7 a set they would be better able to search for more valuable specimens.

THE BLOW-OFF.

Invariably, it was alleged, when the amateur collector either bought this standard set or indicated he was through buying and wanted money for his specimens, the defendant

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WELL, WHAT DAY WILL SUIT 'EM?

Preparedness Parade Can't Find Date to Please All. Beaches Now Protest.

The great preparedness parade which it is proposed to have in Los Angeles is receiving the indorsement of people on all sides, but apparently no date can be found that will please everybody.

First it was proposed to have the parade on a Saturday, but the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association objected that this would prevent many of the merchants' employees from participating, and that it would seriously interfere with business. The same objection applied to any Monday.

Then it was proposed to have it on July 4. Against this the beaches raise a united protest. They want the crowds at the seashore on Independence Day.

Long Beach, Venice, Redondo Beach and Seal Beach will join in a protest to the Board of Supervisors against that body making any appropriation to Los Angeles for a Fourth of July or preparedness parade. Committees from these cities will tell the Supervisors just how they feel about it.

Anyway, Alleged Victims Learned Some Long Words.

In the "butterfly fraud" trial,

Begun before Judge Van Fleet yesterday. It is one of the most remarkable of its kind ever tried anywhere.

Anti-charter.

TAXES FAVORITE THEME IN CONTEST FOR PRIZE.

MORE than 200 persons applied at Anti-Charter League headquarters, No. 201 Mason Operahouse Building, yesterday, for copies of the proposed city charter and to inquire about the rules governing the contest. The interest displayed indicates that men and women throughout the city are not only making an intelligent study of the lengthy document, but they are anxious to win the prize of $100 to be given by the Anti-Charter League for the best presented argument or arguments against the charter.

Those in charge of the contest made it plain yesterday that it is not necessary for a contestant to digest the entire charter to be able to write a forceful argument against it. It is admitted that the document is full of faults, any one of which may be considered of sufficient importance to deserve a vote against the whole instrument. As a result the man or woman who submits a forceful argument against one important section of the charter has an equal chance with those attempting to review the entire document.

There is nothing quite so interesting to the property owner as taxes and many of the contestants are devoting their essays to attacks upon the possibility of increasing the public debt through the proposed charter. Others are writing of the vicious features in connection with the civil-service provisions. Then there are some who are opposing the interlocking system of electing Councilmen, others the flim-flam and double-cross injected into the charter by making an elector lose his vote for the charter if he should also vote for the ward system of electing Councilmen.

Some of the contestants are making it a point to attend the anti-charter meetings, which are being held nightly in different sections of the city, and they are securing some valuable suggestions from the speakers.

As the contest will close next Friday evening at 6 o'clock those intending to submit essays must work quickly. The name of the winner will be published in The Times next Sunday, but he or she will receive the prize Monday morning at the league headquarters.

Exposed.

OUTRAGEOUS SCHEME TO MULCT USERS OF WATER.

Board of Public Service Commissioners Flay Proposed Charter's Provisions Whereby Great Bonded Debt will be Saddled on Consumers of Life Necessity, Exempting Others from Rightful Share of Burden.

WITH only one dissenting vote—that of Commissioner Boyle Workman — the Board of Public Service Commissioners yesterday gave its approval to the resolution authorized at its meeting of the 19th inst. This resolution defines the attitude of the commission regarding the proposed city charter.

Commissioner Workman, who is treasurer of the Citizens' New Charter Committee, filed a minority statement, and this elicited some sharp passages between Commissioner Snyder, who asked for the resolution, and himself. The result was that his statement was filed and the incident was closed. The resolution says:

Be it resolved: That the Board of Public Service Commissioners regards the scheme of the proposed new city charter (Sec. 91) to make the water revenues available for general municipal purposes, as highly unjust and unfair to the water rate-payers of the city, and as directly opposed to the principles upon which a municipality should undertake to supply its inhabitants with water.

The apparent basis of this outrageous scheme is, that the property of the city has been and will be taxed for the purpose of providing an additional water supply, and, therefore, the water consumers of the city should be compelled, through the payment of rates, to return an equal amount into the treasury to be expended upon the police, fire and park departments, and such other municipal purposes as the Council may determine.

There can be no justification of this plan for further burdening the water consumers of Los Angeles. Revenues derived by the municipality from the sale to its inhabi-

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Drastic.

HOUSE CLEANING OF INSPECTORS.

Reorganization of Work in Street Department On.

Finance Committee Demands Heads of Officials.

Padding of Mileage, Neglect of Supervision Charged.

Immediate reorganization of the inspection department in the engineer's office, beginning with the discharge of two or three inspectors, was ordered by the Council Finance Committee yesterday at a conference with members of the Board of Public Works. President Handley protested, and other members of the board wanted to temporize and compromise in the interest of harmony, but Chairman Wheeler, who has been conducting the informal investigation of the inspection department, informed President Handley that he was through with consideration of the objections to a general house cleaning, and, hereafter, the Board of Public Works will be ordered to make the necessary changes instead of requested.

Mr. Wheeler showed the Board of Public Works reports on analyses of street improvement work that show losses of many thousands of dollars to property owners and he insisted that honest work is more to be desired than "harmony" in the retention of men who are responsible for the wholesale "skimping" of public improvements. The Board of Public Works' Commissioners were told that it will make no difference to the Council whether they discharge the inspectors who are responsible for the skimping, for, if the changes in the personnel of the force are not made by the board, they will be made by the Council Budget Committee.

The Council investigation of inspection methods may be set definitely by the City Council today. In view of the fact that the Public Works Committee of the Council may not have authority to subpoena witnesses, it may be found desirable to transfer the investigation to the entire Council.

Members of the Council Finance Committee have started another investigation of the City Engineer's office with reference to the claims made by city employees for transportation on allowances under the new ordinance. The present tentative arrangement is to allow 3 cents a mile for automobile travel. Reports made by some employees of

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MAKES HER CHOICE.

Charles Lips, a member of the city fire department, was granted a decree of divorce from Alice P. Lips by Judge Monroe yesterday. The ground was desertion. Mr. Lips told the court that his wife, who left him and their two children, is employed in a concession at the San Diego exposition.

Marie Rappold

Famous Prima Donna Soprano of the Metropolitan Opera, who sang last evening at Trinity Auditorium

The NEW EDISON *Re-Creates Music*

An Experiment That Astounded Musical Los Angeles

When Mme. Rappold appeared on the stage at Trinity Auditorium last evening and stood beside Edison's newest invention, she began to sing in unison with her voice as *Re-Created* by Edison. Suddenly she paused, her lips were closed, but still her voice continued to fill the auditorium.

The audience was startled. Two voices had been heard. Which belonged to the living artist and which to Edison's new invention positively defied detection. Now the prima donna sang and now she was silent. Only by watching her lips could one tell whether she was singing or whether her voice came from the instrument at her side.

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Rivalry.

FOR JOUSTINGS OF SIR KNIGHT.

Engineer Solves Hard Problem of a "Perfect Plane."

Templars' Military Drills to be Keenly Contested.

Valuable Trophies as Reward for Winners.

What is a perfect plane?

George Kurtz, chief of the engineering department of the Los Angeles Railway Company, naturally can define one, but from personal experience within the last few days his definition is tinged with enthusiasm born of a hard problem solved.

It was like this: Incident to the Knights Templars conclave here next month will be held a series of competitive military drills by Masonic teams from various parts of the United States. Therefore a drill ground became a requisite.

One might think the drills could be held at almost any convenient outdoor point—in the street or out on a lot. Not so with the Templar soldiers, however; so finely trained are they and so keen their competition for the honor inherent in winning a conclave trophy that a perfect plane upon which to perform the evolutions is demanded, so that no opportunity for argument over the scoring may be given.

Here is where Mr. Kutrz's troubles began, for when the plow came in contact with the soil which will be inclosed by Templar Amphitheater, at Grand avenue, West Twelfth and Hope street, the ground turned up like fragments of a pavement, defying everything except a sledge hammer.

CREATES THE PLANE.

Gentler treatment was decided on and harrows called in. With these the surface of the adobe was scratched over, after which twenty freight car loads of sand and loam in equal parts, plus water, were sprinkled over the scratches made by the harrows. Next a sixteen-ton roller got on the job, with the result that Engineer Kurtz is now convinced that he has obtained the perfect plane, and incidentally a little more knowledge regarding soils—or lack of them.

The military evolutions at the amphitheater will begin June 21 and be participated in by famous Knight Templar drill teams from all over the United States. They will be concluded the following day, when six trophies, valued at $12,500, will be awarded.

MILITARY SPECTACLE.

Brig.-Gen. Robert Wankowski is chairman of the committee charged with preparations for holding the drills, and from details completed one of the biggest semi-military events in the entire history of the Pacific Coast is assured. The board of judges for the drills will consist of United States army officers.

Each drill corps will consist of a commanding officer, two lieutenants or guides, twenty-four Sir Knights and additional Knights not to exceed four, where the tactics under which the team drills calls for same.

Following are the points on which each drill corps will be marked and the maximum rating on each: General appearance, 15 points; march and cadence, 15 points; alignments, 15 points; wheelings, 15 points; sword manual, 10 points; facings, 5 points; flank movements, 5 points; oblique movements, 5 points; display movements, 15 points.

Judgment.

PASTOR LOSES.

Pasadena Company which Sold Him Bungalow which Proved to have Defective Timbers in It is Found to be Not Liable for Damages.

Judge J. W. Curtis of San Bernardino county, sitting in extra sessions court, held Monday in the suit of Rev. Paul Datin against the Kendall-Curtis Company, that the defendant was not liable for damages for an alleged defectively constructed bungalow the pastor bought in Pasadena. The minister sued on the ground of false and fraudulent representations.

The court held that, while the representation that the house was durable and built of good material was not true, to make the representation fraudulent it must have been made by the company in the knowledge of its falsity and under such conditions that the company, on account of its lack of knowledge of the fact, was not justified in making it.

The evidence showed that the company obtained a competent architect and builder, who constructed the bungalow. The court found there was every reason to believe that the company made a true statement that the house was well built.

The pastor should have rescinded the contract when he discovered the defects, the court stated. His failure to do so forfeited any right he might have had to rescind.

It was in evidence that a guest of the pastor broke through the floor of the bungalow and that the accident was due to defective timbers used in construction.

ALLEGE PREFERENCE.

Creditors Want Chattel Mortgages Set Aside in Bankruptcy Case.

United States District Judge Trippet started the hearing yesterday of the case of W. H. Moore, Jr., trustee in bankruptcy of the estate of Alfred W. Bannister, a hay dealer of Bakersfield, against the National Bank of Bakersfield, to set aside a series of chattel mortgages given by Bannister to the bank, and recorded by that institution a few days before Bannister was adjudicated a bankrupt. It is claimed that the mortgages, aggregating about $10,000, constitute a preference against the interests of the other creditors of the alleged bankrupt.

ADMITTED TO PRACTICE.

The District Court of Appeal yesterday admitted the following applicants to practice on passing a satisfactory examination: S. B. Kauffman, Thomas L. Ambrose, Bruce W. Mason and Edward T. Cranston.

DEAN OF THE MINISTERS.

Friends Celebrate Seventy-seventh Birthday of Dr. H. W. Crabbe.

The seventy-seventh birthday of Rev. Henry W. Crabbe of the Second United Presbyterian Church was celebrated Monday night by a surprise reception arranged by a large number of the pastor's friends, of his own and other churches, held at the church. Dr. and Mrs. Crabbe were induced by strategy to go to the church, which they found beautifully decorated, and their friends assembled to greet them.

Dr. Crabbe has been fifty years in the ministry and twenty-eight years in this city. He is the dean of the ministry of Los Angeles and probably of the Pacific Coast.

Rev. John G. Thompson of the Florence-avenue church was chairman of the gathering last night, and spoke in eulogy of the character of Dr. Crabbe and praise of his work in the ministry. Dr. J. C. Pinkerton of the First United Presbyterian Church presented greetings from Dr. Crabbe's former charges in Buffalo and St. Louis, and the old First Church, at the corner of Eighth and Hill streets, where Dr. Crabbe was pastor in 1888.

The chairman, in the name of various organizations and friends, presented Dr. Crabbe a purse of gold.

Filial.

JAIL PROSPECT PLEASES.

New York Bank Thief Glad He is to be Taken Back, as He Thinks it will Mean His Mother Need not Make Good His Peculation.

Christopher Larkin will be taken to New York City to answer for having stolen money and checks totaling $15,800 from the Atlantic National Bank of that city, for which he acted as messenger. When word was received from the East that they would send for Larkin, the boy, who is 18 years old, was greatly delighted.

Had the New York authorities failed to send for him he intended to "beat" his way east on freight trains. He walked into the Police Station Saturday and surrendered himself, admitting his crime. He had just arrived here, and had received a letter from his mother saying bonding companies in New York were forcing her to sacrifice her savings and to go heavily in debt to make good the loss. Larkin believed he could save his mother this expense by surrendering himself.

Pending.

MORE TROUBLE AWAITS.

Men Indicted by Federal Grand Jury in Salt Lake Demand Hearing in This City—If Cleared May be Arrested on Second Charge.

George W. Cockley and Romulus Corti, indicted some time ago by the Federal grand jury at Salt Lake for using the mails in a scheme to defraud in connection with the selling of stock in the Bonanza Mining Company, an Idaho corporation, and who were before United States Commissioner D. M. Hammack yesterday on an order of removal to Utah for trial on the pending indictment, demanded a hearing before the Federal official, and under a recent ruling of the United States Supreme Court, it was accorded them.

An attack upon the sufficiency of the indictment was made for the alleged reason that Postoffice Inspector Warren and a city detective having no search warrants, had taken the books and papers of the defendants from them at the time of their arrest in this city, about three months ago, when Cockley and Corti came to Los Angeles and made arrangements to open an office at the corner of First and Spring streets, in the Wilson Block.

The decision of the New York Court of Appeals for the southern circuit, in the famous Jared Flagg fraud case, was quoted on behalf of the defendants, where a judgment of conviction was reversed, for the reason that the office of Flagg had been despoiled of his papers by officers having no search warrant.

Taking of evidence will begin this morning. It is understood that a second indictment is pending against the accused in Salt Lake, according to the statement of Assistant United States District Attorney O'Connor, and if the defendants secure their liberty in the present hearing they will be immediately arrested on the second indictment.

ON BAD CHECK CHARGE.

The preliminary examination of S. Schneider, accused of passing several worthless checks, was set by Justice Hanby for tomorrow morning. His arraignment took place yesterday. Bail was fixed at $1000 and in default Schneider was committed to the County Jail.

Coming Up.

CIVIL SERVICE NEXT ON GRILL.

Council Wishes to Know All About its Gag Rule.

High-priced Employees Speak Publicly for Charter.

Board Asked for Explanation of Working Methods.

The City Council's curiosity regarding the Civil Service Commission's gag rule applying to all city employees was aroused yesterday by Robert Hale, president of the association of city laborers, who asked why the Civil Service Commission permits a $4000 a year employee to deliver addresses in favor of the proposed city charter and denies the right of the $2.50 a day man to express publicly his views on the proposed charter or on the issues of the wet and dry campaign. Mr. Hale, in his letter to the Council, also asserts that besides speaking on the proposed charter, Mr. Burks, efficiency director, has been reported as telling the members of a local club that the city of Los Angeles has been "unfortunate" in its selection of Councilmen.

The communication was forwarded to the Civil Service Commission with a request for an explanation of its rule and a statement as to whether it applies to all city employees, or to which class it is intended to apply.

The Civil Service Commission rule is also interpreted to apply to the various bond issues as well as to the charter and the wet and dry campaign for, under a strict interpretation, J. C. Claussen, deputy in the office of the City Engineer, who prepared the plans for the sewage disposal plants for which bonds are proposed, is not permitted to give any public information relative to the plans or the need for the sewer improvements. For Mr. Claussen to speak concerning this work is regarded as "political activity" in the same sense as participation in the wet and dry campaign or the charter campaign. The same rule also applies to Engineer Stewart, who has prepared the detail plans for the Second-street tunnel, and Mr. Stewart is not to be permitted to explain these plans at a meeting where the proposed bond issue for the tunnel is discussed.

The Civil Service Commission announced yesterday that despite the Mayor's announcement that he will not fill the position of motion picture censor, the commission will hold the oral examination within the next few days.

The proposed civil service examination for detectives on the police force set for June 5, which was designed to eliminate five or six patrolmen who have been on the eligible list for appointment for about three years, has been postponed until July 5, and, in the meantime, the Civil Service Commission will confer with the Police Commission relative to plans for increasing the number of detectives.

Painless.

VACANCIES HIS ALIBI.

Man Charged with Being in Raid on Grocery Store Produces Dentist to Swear he was Having Molars Extracted at the Time.

Two gaping holes in the jaw of Frank Shank, who was arrested as a member of the gang of auto bandits, lay the foundation for an alibi, the holes representing the work of a tooth extractor who gave demonstrations on a downtown street on the night Shank is alleged to have been engaged in a sensational raid on a Boyle Heights grocery store. In this case the woman grocer was locked in the refrigerator.

The extractor, who was in Justice Brown's court Monday when the depositions of two witnesses were taken preparatory to their leaving the State, testified he recognized his handiwork on Shank's jaw and was emphatic that the teeth were extracted on the night of the robbery and about the time.

He remembered the incident, common enough in its place, because a young woman had called his attention to the feat of dexterity he had accomplished on the day following the alleged bandit affair. Another witness testified he had been with Shank when the teeth were pulled.

The District Attorney hopes to combat this alibi by showing that only a few minutes are required to pull two teeth and that the demonstrator could not possibly fix the exact moment when he used Shank as an example of his art.

Painless Parker—Outlaw

His Confessions

CHAPTER XXV.

All this bunko stuff that the "big professional man" works on the seeker has distinct cash value. It makes a clink in the pocket. It's an asset that can be measured in real dollars.

And that's why it is used so religiously and guarded so jealously. It's old Dr. Henry W. Hammaker's system all over again, with up-to-date trimmings. But it's no improvement.

The marked difference between my practice and that of the high-toned "ethicals" is that they cater to the carriage trade. They scorn the working-man.

You'd think, to hear them talk, that a laboring man had no nerves in his teeth. I've heard them say in all sincerity:

"I don't like to work for poor people. I like only the 'nice' people."

You can guess what's back of this aversion for the wage-earner. He hasn't enough dough to make it worth while for an "ethical" to bother with him and his slim purse.

It has never seemed reasonable to me that a person who works should be denied dentistry.

It has never seemed reasonable to me that the scale of dental prices shouldn't be adjustable to the pocket-book of a poor man.

It has never seemed reasonable to me that this vast field of just plain people, all possessed of teeth that need fixing, should be ignored.

That's why I am primarily a dentist for the folks who haven't money to waste on cotton and conversation and buncombe.

I made up my mind a long while ago that I wouldn't cater to the silk-stocking, codfish aristocracy. All the "ethicals" seemed to be out after the great or near-great or the would-be great—the folks who would hang on the lace curtains of society and appear to be what they are not.

And what easy marks such people are! They want to trail after social prestige, and they are willing to pay extortionate prices to get that cheap advantage. That's why a woman will gladly give up a fat fee to a dentist who has "exclusive" patronage while, all the time, her husband, who foots the bill, may be out at elbow, plugging along to make both ends meet.

These simple folk are like the individual who won't go to a cafeteria for a 5-cent cup of coffee for fear of contamination and loss of social standing, but will go to some exclusive cafe and pay five times that amount for what is just as likely to be an inferior cup.

Well, I made up my mind to let the "ethical" take care of these people, while I bent my efforts to get my dental prices down to the means of the ordinary wage-earner.

And, in taking this course, I have suffered expulsion from the sacred high priesthood of good "ethicals."

I've cut prices and I'm as good as damned.

Los Angeles Office, 612-622 South Broadway.

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—Advertisement.

House Cleaning.

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the Engineer's office show as high as forty-five miles' travel a day. The City Engineer had made no attempt to check these reports until a demand was made by Councilman Wheeler, and the result of a check showed that the actual distances traveled were from ten to twenty miles.

Incidentally, Councilman Wheeler has forced the Board of Public Works to delegate real authority to Frank McClellan, expert inspector, who for nearly a month has been working without any definite authority. Under new rules forced upon the Board of Public Works, Mr. McClellan is to receive a list of all city jobs in progress of construction each day. He is to spend eight hours a day inspecting such jobs as he sees fit, and he has authority under the new rules to stop work on any job where specifications are not being carried out. Work on these jobs can only be resumed when authority is given direct from the City Engineer's office.

YEAR AND A DAY.

This is Sentence of Man who Smuggled in Opium.

A. J. Taylor, who pleaded guilty to smuggling opium into the country, at the March term of the United States District Court in San Diego, was sentenced to a year and a day at McNeil's Island penitentiary yesterday by Judge Trippet.

At the time that Taylor was found guilty a stay of sixty days was ordered in the imposition of the sentence, Taylor agreeing to give the customs officials at San Diego some valuable information, and it is understood that he did so. This is Taylor's second conviction for the offense, and he but recently finished a two-year term in San Quentin.

CHILD DANGEROUSLY HURT.

Not Expected to Survive Injuries Received in Cycle Wreck.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, May 23.—Mathilda, the 6-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hill, is not expected to recover from injuries she received in a motorcycle wreck several evenings ago. Mrs. Hill and her daughter were riding in a sidecar. While the motorcycle was traveling at a good rate of speed, returning home from Laguna Beach, the forks of the front wheel broke in two and all three riders were thrown violently to the paved roadway. The little girl suffered a fractured skull. Mrs. Hill received a cut over one eye and Mr. Hill escaped with slight bruises. The little girl was taken to the Santa Ana Hospital, then removed to her home here.

HEAR LAND CONTEST.

Charge of Bad Faith Made in Suit Involving Rich Acreage.

Register Roche and Receiver Robinson yesterday heard the contest case of Manna S. Davenport against Christopher C. Jackson, involving 171 acres of land, lying east of Calexico, along the Mexican boundary line. The land, it is claimed, is worth $100 an acre.

It is claimed that Jackson did not make the entry in good faith, but for speculative purposes; that he had agreed to make final proof in his own name for the benefit of another, said alleged agreement having been made April 29, 1916. Jackson denies the charge. There is a mortgage on the land of $3133, said money having been spent by Jackson, it is said, in reclaiming the land.

Classified Real Estate

Advertisements in the Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturday. Classified "Want Ads," etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturday.

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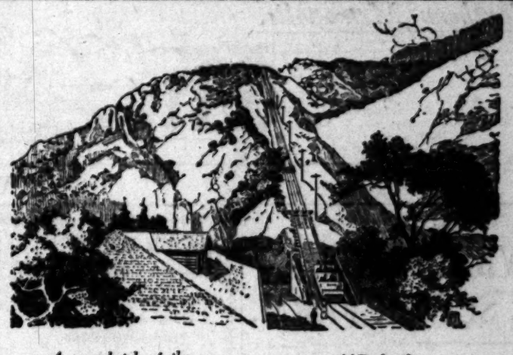

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Back from Jaunt.

Former Judge and Mrs. Leon F. Moss and Dr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore have just returned from a delightful motoring and fishing trip in Santa Barbara county which they did leisurely by motor. They were especially successful along the banks of the Santa Ynez River, coaxing trout until the limit was reached. The men all but wrested the honors from their husbands, thoroughly enjoying their out-of-door experience.

Saturday Evening.

Mrs. E. Francis Clanton of No. 1 Fountain avenue, Hollywood, is entertaining on Saturday evening for Miss Lucretia del Valle, fully fifty friends having been bidden to the much-agreeably anticipated event.

For the Children's Hospital.

Because it is for the comfort and happiness of the little children and in many cases a restoration to health of the little folk, and because Los Angeles never tires in well doing, many of the smart set are working hard for the success of the coming card party to be given in the auditorium of the Ebell Club, on the afternoon of June 13. Every cent is to be diverted to the treasury of the Children's Hospital. Splendid prizes will be given by Mrs. Russell McDonald Taylor and her aides, and among those who will assist in various avenues are Mrs. Jefferson Chandler, who will oversee the placing of the tables; Miss Lillian van Nuys and Miss Clara Vickers, prizes; Miss Virginia Garner, tickets; Mrs. Frank Lindley, Mrs. Arthur Bumiller, decorating; Mrs. Burnham, refreshments. Mrs. F. C. Kingsbury, president, and during her absence from the city Mrs. Walter M. Bruns will assume charge.

Card Coterie.

Mrs. E. L. Davidson entertained at a bridge luncheon at the Beverly Hills Hotel yesterday, her guests being members of a small card club, which has been meeting regularly for some time, for luncheon and bridge. The dainty table for eight was gay with the many colored nasturtiums while card tables were placed in the tearoom for the bridge game later in the afternoon. Mrs. Davidson's guests were Mrs. Harley

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To Come Here a Bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hartman of St. Paul announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Utley, to Dr. R. W. Schuessler of Los Angeles.

To Northern Mission City.

For a week's sojourn with friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Augustus Freeman of Hollywood have motored to Santa Barbara.

Wed at Hollywood.

At 11 o'clock on Saturday morning, at the Cahuenga Vista Inn, Hollywood, Miss Juanita Bullard, the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bullard of No. 1744 North Vine street, Hollywood, and Waldo Fenton Abbe of New York, were married by Rev. D. F. Howe, pastor of the Westlake Methodist Episcopal Church, in the presence of the immediate relatives, who numbered Mr. and Mrs. Bullard, Dr. and Mrs. Wellslake Morse and the Misses Elsie and Beatrice Morse of Orange Grove avenue, Pasadena. Mrs. Morse is a sister of the groom. Immediately after the wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Abbe left for a motoring trip.

Distinguished Visitor.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Troyer are down from San Francisco, house guests of Dr. Mary Green of No. 679 Rampart boulevard, and of Mrs. Gloria Mayne-Windsor, the well known prima donna. Mr. Troyer is composing an Indian opera, with words by Dr. Green's daughter, Mrs. Rita Green Breeze of Las Vegas, who is also in the city. He will be a guest at the informal reception which is to follow the Schubert Club programme this afternoon at the Alexandria.

From Georgia.

Mrs. Elizabeth McManus is entertaining an attractive southern girl, Miss Irene Van Dyke, daughter of Dr. Arthur Van Dyke of Atlanta, Ga. The visitor will perhaps stay until Mrs. McManus goes to New York, the latter having been invited to speak on "Social Service in Public Schools" before the National Educational Association, Department of School Patrons, which meets in the eastern metropolis in early July. Mrs. Philip N. Moore of St. Louis, former president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, is a vice-president, and the invitation comes as a splendid tribute.

Two Special Guests.

Mrs. T. C. Girton was hostess at a pleasant little luncheon affair at her home, No. 2306½ West Tenth street on Friday with Mrs. A. Sleppy of Northumberland, Pa., and Mrs. C. W. E. Jennings of Valley Falls, Or., specially honored. California poppies brightened the rooms and seated at table were the complimented guests and Mmes. J. Carpenter, Gary, K. Wolf, N. M. Palm, C. Bruns, M. W. Neal, M. Losee, A. Kratz and J. C. Girton.

Miss Irene Van Dyke of Georgia,
Who is the house guest of Mrs. Elizabeth McManus.

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For yourself a pretty bungalow breakfast set from the new stock just received and offered in that greater May sale. It is every woman's privilege to look her best even around home in the morning.

Whatever is needed to complete your garden perfection, in that selling-out of a Spring-street nursery, at extraordinarily low prices.

Practical Suggestion.

In cooking green beans, try using soup stock instead of water in which to boil them and you will discover a new and palatable dish. Green beans, as well as dry ones, are apt to be rather lacking in flavor when plainly cooked.

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"Trust Your Streaks."

"I had a streak of cleaning yesterday," said the good housekeeper, and added: "And a good thing it was, too, for I received a wire last night that Aunt Jane and the children would be down for a week, on Monday, and that means a grand round of company coming and a lot of going and no time for anything in the way of unusual housework." "You recall, do you not," said Beth, "Aunt Jude's saying: 'Always trust your streaks.'" "I had forgotten it, but there is no denying that we do have premonitions, even about things so commonplace as housework. Not alone that, but when the urge is on, we can accomplish many times as much as when we compel ourselves to act."

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In the Leaf.

One of the prettiest of the receptacles for holding upright the stems of flowers, in shallow bowls, is that formed in the shape of a leaf. The leaf is caught over the edge of the vase and perforations in the leaf are used to insert the flower stems. I like these better than the frogs and fishes which have long been thus used.

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For Less Brooms.

"In the spring the movers' fancy lightly turns to thoughts of brooms!" We might thus paraphrase the poem were we inclined to be iconoclastic. When I saw the moving van next door carrying away six brooms—perfectly good, but not new—for the reason that it is said to be "bad luck to move the broom," I thought this bad-luck superstition was certainly good luck for the moving men, and then it occurred to me that the second-hand broom market might go to pieces under the pressure. If there is, indeed, such a market. It is good luck for the housewife, anyhow, that there is a sale of brooms for ever so much less, for it should be known that brooms are a part of the increased cost of living. I have not been able to learn exactly why, but, of course, the European war has something to do with it. What will the broom trusts and the dust-pan trusts, the sugar trust and the gasoline trust do for a "reason" when peace arrives?

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A Bureau of "Reasons."

At one time, I thought of starting a bureau for inventing "reasons why I will sacrifice my home." Just now, a similar bureau for the purpose of evolving plausible stories to account for the high cost of—this and that, would be kept busy, I think. Such reasons should be varied, interesting and logical, in order to keep peace with the public. They might even be made quite picturesque.

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Even the Wee Ones.

Instead of rolling their hoops on the sidewalk or upon the lawn, little girls now wear them in their dress skirts. As well be out of the world as out of the fashion, no matter how few your years.

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Safety First.

This was the thought which occurred to me as I looked at a demure chimneypot hat of straw with for sole trimming a broad band of leather securely fastened at the front with a huge silk-twined hook and eye. Just the thing for wearing at the front, even in so peaceful a fray as golf or tennis, motoring or hiking.

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Novel Hat Stand.

After searching for a man to make wooden stands for her hats, Angela made a discovery which may help other girls. She bought several tall wooden candlesticks and these she painted in her favorite color, padding them at the top with a cretonne cushion, sacheted with her favorite perfume. Upon the tall stems she painted flowers so like those upon the cretonne that they looked exactly as though they had fallen off the fabric. Standing in a row upon the shelf of her clothes press this row of hat stands is a "joy forever."

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A Real Hat for Surfing.

At last the real hat for use while surf bathing has arrived! If there is any place where one needs to shade the eyes and face it is when in the surf, and yet we have patiently endured the small cap which leaves the entire physiognomy exposed to Old Sol's pitiless scrutiny. Now comes the beach bathing cap with a brim. Of rubber to match the cap, this new feature does not protect one whit from the prettiness of the bathing millinery, and oh, how much it will add to comfort!

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And Garters!

The latest accessory of the beach bathing suit is the set of rubber garters to match the cap in color. Some of the prettiest are abloom with rubber flowers to match those which trim the bathing hats.

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For the Bride.

Her new home, her gifts, all which she is to wear or have—in fact, everything for the bride, is shown in the bungalow at that big white store which has been transformed into a bridal habitation. Yes, and the bride is there! Just dressing for the ceremony—or rather, redressing for going away is she, with her maid in attendance in the boudoir, while in the dining-room, gathered 'round the festive board, are the members of the family. So really truly is the scene and so lifelike the figures there that it actually startles one to come upon the so lifelike silent group. Practically, there are many excellent suggestions to be found there.

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At the Beck of La Mode.

Spanish laces, Irish crochet, filet and Valenciennes are all being revived.

White-and-black combinations are especially favored for separate skirts.

Among the prettiest sports skirts are the gay rose and coral corduroys.

The latest fabric novelty is colored organdie in delicate pastel shades.

Some of the prettiest silk petticoats imaginable are the corded ones.

A new net with satin ribbon border is much used for evening dresses.

Some of the suit coats fasten under the arm just as some dresses do.

With a biscuit-colored chiffon gown a touch of emerald is enchanting.

The Greek note is seen this season in the immense variety of pleatings.

Some of the prettiest suit coats button only at the waistline and the throat.

Large, deep sailor collars, with hemstitched tucks, form a fichu-like effect in front.

Outrageous Scheme.

(Continued from First Page.)

tants of that prime necessary of life—water—without which there could be no city or property or any human comfort, should never be diverted to the ordinary purposes of the city.

The wealth of our people and not their necessities should bear the expense of the general city government.

The advocates of the new charter say that nearly $9,000,000 have been paid by the city out of tax funds on the aqueduct debt, and that the new charter, if adopted, will enable the city to recover this and other similar payments, amounting to many more millions, from the sales of water to consumers in the city. The gross injustice of such a policy to our own people is heightened by the record of what the water consumers of this city have done for the direct benefit of the owners of taxable wealth, during the fourteen years of municipal ownership of the water system. The original cost of that system was $2,000,000 plus about $500,000 more for needed improvements. This was provided for by the issuance of bonds in 1902 and 1904. Water consumers have paid all of the accruing charges for interest and principal on these bonds, amounting to more than $2,000,000, without one dollar of taxation.

Our domestic water system, since its purchase in 1902, has been entirely enlarged and rebuilt to meet the increasing demands of our population, at an expense of more than $10,000,000, and all this has been provided for out of water sales and without the slightest help from taxation.

Water consumers have met the cost of supplying more than $2,000,000 worth of water for sprinkling our streets, flushing our sewers, maintaining our parks, and for uses in our public buildings, all to the relief and advantage of the assessable wealth of the city.

There are more than 50,000 vacant and unimproved lots in Los Angeles, having an assessed value of at least $20,000,000, the greater part of which has been due to the fact that the city has provided and made available an adequate water supply for the use of the inhabitants of the city; and yet, all that property has never contributed one cent to the purchase, maintenance or improvement of the municipal distributing system during the fourteen years of public ownership.

There is approximately $50,000,000 of taxable property in Los Angeles which has never been, and, it is claimed, can never be assessed for the aqueduct debt. That property, however, is assessable for the general expenses of the city government. If our water consumers are to be required to help support the general city government, to the relief of the taxable wealth of the community, then the owners of such exempt property will be further benefited at the expense of the water consumers.

Property values in the San Fernando Valley, within the limits of the city, have been enhanced many millions of dollars by the construction of the aqueduct. That property is taxable for the aqueduct debt, which is fair; it is also taxable for the support of the city government, and that, also, is fair. But it is not fair that taxes on that property for the support of the city government should be lightened or reduced at the expense of our water consumers, through the diversion of water revenues into the general fund of the city.

There are thousands and tens of thousands of water consumers in this city who are not able to own their own homes, but are renters, and must pay the established water rates. This board is convinced that the people of this city do not want a charter containing a provision that these consumers may be required to pay such a price for water as will yield a surplus to the city treasury for the benefit of those who possess the taxable wealth of the community, and who should provide for the expense of conducting the municipal government.

The present charter points the way to the reduction of water rates, even to the extent of transferring to the taxable wealth of the city all charges for waterworks purposes beyond the mere cost of conducting and operating the system and meeting the expense of ordinary repairs and improvements (Sec. 191, Sub.h.) In conformity with the spirit of this provision, water rates have been reduced approximately 50 per cent, since the city acquired the domestic system, and this board is in favor of, and is now contemplating, further reductions, particularly of rates affecting small consumers.

The proposed new charter is decidedly adverse to the policy of lowering rates for the benefit of consumers. It eliminates the provision of the present charter for supplying water to our inhabitants at the mere cost of conducting and maintaining the system, and, besides opens up the water fund to drafts by the Council—and the rates cannot be lowered without the consent of the Council. In a word, the new charter favors the policy of continuing the present burdens of water consumers and of imposing upon them the additional burden of providing revenue for the general purposes of the city government.

Therefore, the Board of Public Service Commissioners of this city, on every ground of justice and fairness, and in the name of what the water rate-payers of this city have done and are doing to pay for, maintain, improve and extend the domestic water system, is opposed to the adoption of the proposed new charter, and calls upon the people of Los Angeles to vote down that instrument as inimical to the highest and best interests of this city.

NO COMMON SENSE.

Attorney Defines Missing Link in Proposed New City Charter.

The missing link in the proposed new city charter is common sense, according to Attorney Gesner Williams, who made two addresses against the voluminous document last night. He spoke first at Twelfth and Berendo streets and then at Forty-fifth street and Central avenue.

Mr. Williams said he had carefully studied the proposed charter and had found it so full of defects that it is difficult to point out a commendable feature. He laid particular emphasis on the viciousness of the interlocking system in the election of Councilmen and the fact that the charter would permit the posting of ordinances instead of publishing them in a newspaper of general circulation.

Attorney John W. Kemp, a member of the Board of Public Works, delivered a strong address against the proposed charter at the Vincent Methodist Church last night. He spoke mainly against the sections pertaining to the water supply.

FILMS.

Carmenesque.

HAS MAGNETIC ROLE.

FARRAR SHINES IN COLORFUL DRAMA AT WOODLEY.

By Henry Christeen Warnack.

At the Woodley Theater this week a breath of Italy is brought to us by an artist of no less distinction than Geraldine Farrar. Maria Rosa, in the photoplay offering of that name, is a pretty market girl, or more properly speaking, a fierce and magnetic Italian woman, beloved of three men when only one may win.

Our action begins in a picturesque market place of a naturalness containing everything but the smell. There is a fishmonger whom Maria Rosa scorns, another suitor who is struck in the face with a pickerel by the fishmonger, and an accepted lover named Andres, a part remarkably well taken by Wallace Reid. On him suspicion of murder is cast when the fisherman is killed in a vivid duel with knives by the man he insulted in the market place. Andres had lost his stiletto and it was with this keen and shining blade that the fisherman's life had been taken. Andres is sent to prison and there saves the life of an official's daughter, being rewarded by a pardon.

When he arrives in his home village it is to find Maria Rosa returning from her marriage to the slayer of the fisherman. Andres conceals himself in Maria Rosa's room, and when she appears and he discloses himself to her there is indeed a fine moment of suspense. They send to the priest to ask for advice. In the meantime Andres is again concealed and Maria Rosa plies her newly-married husband with drink that, under its influence, he may be led to a confession, which he makes in a sensational manner. Maria Rosa calls upon him with a knife and slays him, but before he expires he tells the priest that he fell upon his own stiletto, and Maria Rosa and Andres are then free to marry.

This is a plausible story, well connected, superiorly directed and beautifully enacted.

Superba.

Another photodrama unusual in its subject and portrayal is "Alien Souls" at the Superba. This play not only stars Sessue Hayakawa and Tsuru Aoki, but also features Earl Fox and Grace Benham. It is exceptional in any one picture to have a group of four such talented persons. One must exercise charity for the acceptance of the major premise of this plot, but taking the premise for granted, the story at once becomes interesting, and is followed with consistency. In its atmosphere this photodrama reminds one of "The Typhoon," although this is chiefly because Walker Whiteside's success was the forerunner of plays of this type.

In "Alien Souls" the American woman has compromised herself with the American villain, who has taken all of her money and seeks to discard her that he may lure the little Japanese girl with the intention of robbing her. He is craven to the core and when he finds that she has no money, he is in a situation from which he can extradite himself only by marrying her at the point of her Japanese guardian's pistol.

At this moment the American woman enters and exposes her relations with him. Thereupon the little Japanese girl tears up the marriage license and retires to an adjoining room with the pistol.

Her guardian misses her from the room and seeing that she has taken the pistol with her, beats down the door and enters to find her lying on the floor, dead, as he supposes. A swift examination of the pistol shows that it has not been discharged, as the hammer had caught upon some clothing. The girl had only fainted, and when she is aroused from her deep swoon it is to find herself in the arms of the man who really cares.

This finish has a bright new twist that is most delectable, and both the Japanese man and woman justify their rank in filmdom by acting of the first quality.

MUSICAL NOTES AND COMMENT.

The name of Marie Rappold evidently gleamed with no small degree of magnetizing power for local followers of things musical last night, for Trinity Auditorium held few vacant seats at the private demonstration recital at which the noted opera singer was the principal attraction. Mme. Rappold has won her share of fame in operatic roles in the East, but is little known in the West.

Her voice is one of soft beauteous color and distinct charm, admirably brought to a high degree of perfection. She sang last night with the recreations of her own selections on the Edison phonograph, and the effect was remarkably pleasing, and kept one guessing just a bit at times as to whether it was the actual voice or its mechanical reproduction that lent sweetness to the musical numbers she offered.

Arthur Walsh, violinist, assisted at the recital.

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Opera Rehearsals.

Dress rehearsals are now almost a daily mode of procedure with the California Grand Opera Company, which is to open its season next Monday evening at Clune's Auditorium. The forces of the organization are daily gaining in the strength of their combined artistry, and a first performance of unusual character and finish is predicted. The notable singers, who are taking part in the opera, are practically all here now, and are busy a large part of the day increasing their familiarity with the works to be presented.

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Trio Next Tuesday.

Interest is steadily growing in the recital of the Cherniavsky Trio, violin, violincello and piano, to be given next Tuesday evening at Trinity Auditorium. This is said to be one of the most rarely perfect organizations of the type in existence, composed as it is of three brothers who have been playing together for many years.

Don't Procrastinate.

Telephone your Sunday ads. to The Times Friday or early Saturday.

Miller's.

BRISK MELODRAMA.

FARNUM HERO PAR EXCELLENC IN "BATTLE OF HEARTS."

By Grace Kingsley.

"Battle of Hearts," the photoplay showing at Miller's, is just exactly what its name implies, viz., a "you-are-my-mate - nothing-can-keep-us-apart" melodrama. One must admit, however, that it's very good of its kind, and if you like that sort thing, why it's just the sort of thing you'll like. There is brisk action, suspense, surprising incident throughout. The story is that of two men of lowly birth, one a fisherman, the other a ne'er-do-well, son of the lighthouse keeper, both in love with a girl, who reminds one in some ways of the heroine of Norris's "Moran of the Lady Letty." William Farnum is a shade nobler in this than in any of his former red-blood melodramas—and that means he is "some noble!" Elida Furry is the girl. All the parts are well played. Wheeler Oakman does very effective acting as the dissolute son.

Symphony.

It's not so much Francis X. Bushman and Beverley Bayne in "A Million a Minute" which you go to see this week at the Symphony as the very clever little Sydney Drew film comedy. And it's not even the comedy itself, either, so much as the subtle and delicious fun which that very adriot comedian Sydney Drew gets out of his part, that of the husband who emulates his wife in the joy of giving—but there, I don't want to spoil it wou you.

"A Million a Minute" is a romantic comedy, more romantic than comic, with its story based on the eccentric will of a man who leaves his tremendous fortune to his niece under certain very odd conditions. Needless to say, it is well played and magnificently staged.

There is a third feature, a chapter of the "Mysteries of Myra" series. I didn't see this except the first subtitle, which was "Dastardly Baloons," which somehow seemed enough!

GENERAL REVIEWS.

Pantages.

If you are fond of pretty maidens, dressed as few as the law allows, you will appreciate "September Morn" at Pantages this week. But it is not the best act on the bill.

The Bowman Brothers, "Blue Grass Boys', who work just before the final spot with their coon patter and songs, come in for a good hand. And they are original; for if you should want to stay for the second show you'll find they don't use the same stuff if they don't feel like it.

"The Frame Up" is a thriller for fair. It's full of melodramatic rough stuff and crook talk, ending with a murder in cold blood, but the surprise finish is a refreshing anticlimax.

Chabot and Dixon are a man and a girl doing song stuff, the man sawing soulful strains on the violin and using the piano in a rough way that speaks well for the sturdiness of its' manufacturer.

The show opens with acrobatic work on a revolving ladder;—a huge whirling seesaw that gives the Clairmont Brothers a fine opportunity for startling acrobatics. "At the Soda Fountain" has some clever drug store patter between an inexperienced prescription clerk and a pretty girl. Pictures include scenes at the San Diego exposition, travel views of Mohonk Lake in New York, and a "Bringing Up Father" cartoon.

Hippodrome.

Novelty and class distinguish this week's bill at the Hippodrome. Kaima and company open with an illusion act in which a ball seems to flit about the stage with the freedom of a bird.

Coin's dogs close the show, performing some novel tricks.

There are a lot of very classy girls in the show.

Vera Burnham is a pretty, versatile girl who scores with songs; the Three Bellmont Sisters are lovely, and dance delightfully;—and Sam Curtis and his Golf Girls furnish snappy entertainment.

Al Abbot, styling himself "the village songster," wins a good hand.

Republic.

There are three notable attractions at the Republic this week, and the bill as a whole is good. Walter Reynolds and company present a well-acted dramatic playlet, showing how circumstantial evidence is often unreliable. In view of the Orpet case now being tried under similar conditions the sketch is timely. Walter Reynolds takes the part of a full dress burglar or modern Raffles. The Marbie Gems present reproductions of classic statues in marble, with sensational effects, and the photoplay headliner "For $5000 a Year" is an intensely exciting film. Miller and Rainey present a number of comic oddities. Al Weston, the dialect comedian, is clever with several character impersonations, and Kammerer and Howland bring with them a comedy singing act that is decidedly out of the ordinary. The Garber Sisters are really worthy of headline mention, with their late songs and dances.

Quinn's Empress.

Charlie Chaplin is seen in a melange of film fun at Quinn's Empress this week. His latest vehicle, which has never before been shown in Los Angeles, is called "Charlie Chaplin's Stormy Romance," the storm being principally one of applause, and the romance that of mirth and laughter.

Probably the funniest part of the whole four reels is where Charlie leads Sousa's Band in the Metropolitan Grand Opera House in New York City. Charlie certainly burlesques the famous bandmaster in a way that brings laughs galore.

An added attraction is a Clara Kimball Young feature.

Morosco.

"The Brat" appears incapable of being supplanted in the hearts of the public. The piece is in its fifth week at the Morosco, and continues to draw big crowds. Its human appeal, the light and shade of its very human comedy and drama, are such as to make the play a winner.

Maude Fulton and the others in the cast continue to improve in their various roles.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) Optimism continues in investment circles with an ever-increasing demand for railroad securities. The automobile industry is especially active, these securities gaining fifty-five points on limited dealings. A note of warning has been sounded by large bankers, who see a general tightening of the money market as European peace draws nearer. Reports of damage in Kansas tended to increase the price of wheat.

(Abroad:) The Philippines insular government is selling silver to the Chinese at profitable prices for both.

(For details see financial pages.)

SAVING THEIR LIGHT BILLS.

Since the Zeppelin raids over Great Britain severe lighting regulations have been in force and it is an indictable offense in England to show lights conflicting with these regulations at night. Many cities have therefore suspended their street lighting systems altogether and are making immense savings to the chagrin and imminent bankruptcy of the gas and electric power corporations.

Curiously enough fewer accidents are reported than during normal times, which is ascribed to the fact that, knowing the danger, drivers of vehicles are more careful. But 260 persons were fined in Birmingham alone in one week for promptly lighting up when the alarm of Zeppelins was given. They all pleaded the urgent necessity for seeing where their clothes were in order that they might dress quickly and go out to see the sights. Thus does curiosity prove stronger than self-preservation.

VIENNESE WOMEN.

Women have undertaken the road repairing in Vienna and it has become quite a usual sight to see a squad of them with picks and shovels tearing up the streets in the heart of the city. No less than twelve thousand women are also employed on the street railways, not only as conductors, but frequently as motormen and mechanics as well. The Viennese newspapers make frequent comment of their efficiency.

Vienna, the source of light opera, will doubtless soon send us a "Merry Worker" comic opera, with a chorus of lady street repairers, gaily armed with picks and an "Every - little - movement - has - a - meaning-all-its-own" song with a very different application.

It is more difficult to picture the graceful, gentle Viennese women in that capacity than their more practical German and English sisters, yet, if report tells true, they are fast developing muscular proclivities and have taken to hard labor like ducks to water. They are said to have discarded all frippery in clothing and to wear the most severely workmanlike suits and to urge a pick with the same ease that a golf champion swings her driver.

THIS COUNTRY BELIEVES IN A PROTECTIVE TARIFF.

In 1896 the voters of this country said:

"Free trade is like Scotch snuff,
One pinch and you've got enough."

The disastrous conditions which succeeded the election of a Democratic Congress and a Democrat President in 1892 brought the workers of the United States to a consciousness of the fact that the Frenchman, the German, the Belgian, the Englishman, with lives adjusted to the low level of existence which obtains in Europe, worked for half the wages paid in America. Their employers sent their wares to our shores and Democratic doctrinaires struck down the protective laws which exacted a heavy license for their admission to this country, and the American workers who had been fooled into voting for Cleveland and a tariff-for-revenue-only in 1892 flocked by hundreds of thousands into the Republican party in 1896 and voted for McKinley, protection and prosperity.

The principle of protection thus re-established twenty years ago has never since been abandoned by the voters. The plurality for McKinley of 280,810 given in 1892 was increased to 601,854 in 1900. Roosevelt had 1,806,268 majority in 1904 and Taft's plurality in 1908 was 1,259,804. In 1912, while Wilson was elected, the combined Republican and Progressive vote on platforms indorsing protection was 1,311,544 greater than that cast for the Democratic tariff-for-revenue-only doctrine. The mad ambition and wicked treachery of Roosevelt by dividing the forces of protection gave a victory to free trade which the sheep and sugar growers and mill and furnace workers will not repeat, for they have had enough of that folly.

There are features of Democracy other than its free-trade doctrine which do not appeal to the intelligent workers of our land. They know that it would not bring bread to the household to strip our courts of justice of the power of enforcing their decrees, and that it would not promote the general prosperity to turn the control of this country over to the anarchic, red-flagged, red-nosed, work-shirking brawlers whose main object in life is to obtain lesser hours of labor and larger schooners of beer.

The Republican party is the friend of the honest workers of the land. It sympathizes with their perplexities and guards their interests. It has ever been ready to go to the verge of constitutional limitations to fashion laws that will improve their condition. This is their country and their century and they are entitled to a full share of the wealth created by their strong arms and deft fingers. But the wage worker finds employment only when capital is content to invest in industrial enterprises.

SAN DIEGO AND TIA JUANA.

The Times notes that the people of San Diego are righteously and riotously indignant with the Earl newspapers because of their virulent attacks on San Diego with irrelevant regard to the race track, the gambling and the vices at Tia Juana. These sheets have endeavored to correct the evils of Tia Juana by whacking the heads of the San Diegans and the fair managers, which is not only unjust and vicious, but silly. Tia Juana happens to be distant a short automobile ride from San Diego; but, as everybody knows, it is in another country and San Diego has no more control over its affairs than it has over the Mexican bandits or the Kaiser's Uhlans. San Diego can neither stop the gambling at Tia Juana nor prevent fools from throwing away their money on her tracks; no American can do it. To blame San Diego for any conditions in Mexico is as absurd as to criticise Los Angeles for the uncleanliness of Constantinople. Even the superior and dazzling virtue of the Earl newspapers cannot radiate far and furiously enough to convert Mexico's celebrated "Aunt Jane" from the error of her ways, or to stop betting on the bay pony.

This unwarranted and inexcusable attack on San Diego comes with particularly bad grace on account of the fact that the Tia Juana deviltment is of great injury to San Diego; it takes thousands of dollars from San Diego; and it draws every day thousands of people who might otherwise be disporting themselves more sanely and happily at the exposition. The business men and hotel men and fair managers at San Diego complain bitterly of the Tia Juana nuisance. It is nothing but a curse to San Diego—and shall she be reviled and insulted for it? No observer can visit the city and the exposition and then take in Tia Juana without marveling at the crowds attending the Mexico races and appreciating the fact that the rival pull must hurt the San Diego show and the San Diego pocket—but what can the San Diegans do about it? Can they give orders to Carranza or Cantu? And would their polite protests bring to them anything but a horse laugh from the horsey, if they were foolish enough to utter them?

San Diego has attractions worth ten times ten Tia Juanas. Her exposition is joy enough for the most joyous. Her noble stadium (an asset which Los Angeles might well covet) is a treasure for lovers of sports and excitement. The spectacle of 20,000 wildly cheering people in that grand outdoor amphitheater as last Saturday afternoon's track meet tingled one's blood and made Tia Juana look like a pink tea. San Diego has superbly provided for the summer crowds of pleasure-seekers and is certain to win them. She must let "Aunt Jane" go her own gait—running, pacing or turkey trot. She deserves hearty applause and encouragement, not supercilious sneers nor truthless accusations. The Times would suggest in a helpful spirit a grand burst of speed in advertising by all the great railroad lines, San Diego has the vacation season's best attraction for 1916. The thing to do is to let every vacation-taker know it—and that thing the railroads can do best.

Pleasures in the open, pleasures of the day and night, pleasures of all sorts in the open—we are discovering that herein lies the greatest opportunity of our clime. Hollywood demonstrated it last week. San Diego is daily proving it. Yes, Tia Juana is an illustration of it. And we shall see that the best will win and the Panama-California fair will be thronged in vacation time with those who know or find out where and what the best is. Why not help instead of hammering?

WHY GERMANY IS HUNGRY.

In 1913 the sugar harvest of Germany was 5,300,000 tons, of which one-third was exported. Last year it dropped to 3,500,000 tons. The land given over to sugar cultivation in 1915 was 31.6 per cent. less than in 1914, and the yield per acre was appreciably lessened. The reason for the diminished yield is that the cultivation of sugar demands deep plowing and abundant fertilization, and the lack of manures, horses and men rendered this difficult. It costs more to keep horses, for the high prices of cattle and meat enormously increased the cost of fodder.

The advance in the price of hay and grain caused the owners of animals to fall back upon potatoes for fodder. This reduced the supply of potatoes for human food and increased their cost, and the government introduced potato cards and local inventories of potatoes were taken.

Live pigs which were sold in Berlin in May, 1914, at $11 per kilo cost, in February, 1915, $21 per kilo, in March $25 per kilo, and in May $30 per kilo. The number of pigs registered in March, 1915, showed a decrease of 30 per cent. since the beginning of the war.

The stoppage of fruit supplies from over seas and the increased use of it for the manufacture of spirits caused the German government to issue an official decree regulating the proportion of fruit to be used for jam making.

Oils and fats are used by the German War Department in the manufacture of shells, and the use of household scraps for the making of soap was forbidden by a decree of the Bundesrath as an infraction of the acts relating to the defense of the realm. Bathing is therefore restricted except in the imperial household.

Says a Berlin correspondent: "As the British blockade became strengthened and the agreements between Great Britain and The Netherlands Oversea Trust and the Danish Merchants Guild were concluded, the lack of raw materials and foodstuffs made itself more keenly felt, and supplies do not appear to have been forthcoming from Asia Minor to the extent that was anticipated. The result has been a general rise in the cost of living, and the crippling of many businesses for lack of the necessary raw materials, while these developments have reacted in their turn upon agriculture, which has also suffered from the absence of imported chemicals and artificial fertilizers.

"Baron von Schorlmer, Prussian Minister of Agriculture, recently referred to the difficulties of the agriculturist during the budget debate, when he declared that the various complaints made against producers did not take into account the conditions with which they had to contend. The war, he added, presented new problems each day, which could not be solved by the issuing of a decree or the use of mere force."

Nothing can save German households from the pangs of hunger but a cessation of the war.

FRENZIED MUNICIPAL FINANCE.

Frenzied finance is a twentieth century expression which designates the exploitation of doubtful projects on borrowed capital. Los Angeles furnishes a concrete instance in its proposal to issue $8,000,000 in bonds for the purpose of complicating existing telephone systems with a city line, by forcing the Sunset to sell out to the municipality. There is no complaint of inadequate service, no allegation that the existing companies will not build extensions as needed; in fact, all our telephone unhappiness is occasioned by the popular desire for one telephone system in place of two—one monthly telephone bill instead of two. The municipal ownership faddists would postpone that glad day.

Just a few years ago we had a single telephone system; the telephones occasionally became unruly, Central was not always a perfect lady, and we complained of the service. Came a duplicate system and we find our troubles multiplied; in place of one jangling telephone we have two. Our lamentations have increased even as the number of our telephones has increased, and now come our Job's comforters with the advice that the city perpetuate this evil. There is no proposal to give us free telephones, no suggestion that the city can install a telephone system at less cost than a private company, no prospect for cheaper rates on the municipal telephone.

There is, however, one argument in favor of the double or treble system that appeals to a constantly growing class in our community; more telephones mean more jobs and a municipal telephone system would give employment to about 2000 petty politicians. It would be a valuable addition to the office-holding caste; those 2000 employees would mean 6000 more votes for the municipal machine. The number of drones in the social hive would be materially augmented and the menace of a day of reckoning on the part of the producers would be correspondingly lessened.

These pay-roll patriots do not permit their philosophy to extend further than those 2000 prospective jobs. It has not appealed to them that it means withdrawing 2000 persons from other employment and placing them in positions where they produce nothing. At the same time their salaries would have to be paid, and paid by the producing class whose earning power would be lessened by their removal. No national legislation will be able to arrest the continuous increase in the high cost of living so long as we persist in a policy of taking producers by the thousands and converting them into parasites.

Improving service through the introduction of competition is a means and not an end and always marks a state of transition. Before public service rates were regulated by statute, competition sometimes reduced the cost to the consumer; but at the present time the State Railroad Commission not only fixes the maximum price for service which all public service corporations may collect, but forces them to build extensions whenever and wherever, in the opinion of the commissioners, these extensions are needed. The commission will not permit private companies to parallel existing lines, because that is bound to increase the cost of service

Los Angeles now suffers financially because it is forced to support two complete and duplicating telephone systems. The management of the companies acts in the capacity of a business agent who collects the salaries from the subscribers and pays them to the employees. If there is a duplicate set of employees there must be duplicate bills. The great service rendered by modern efficiency experts is in detecting and weeding out duplication; we have gone to the extent of establishing and maintaining a municipal efficiency bureau; and then we stultify these experts and ourselves by giving serious consideration to such proposals as paralleling and duplicating existing electric light and telephone systems.

But this does not happen by chance; there is conscious method in the apparent madness of our municipal Socialists. They seek to become a part of the office-holding caste, of the modern nobility. The hidden object of these proposals to duplicate existing systems, and to harass existing companies through hostile and restrictive charter legislation, is to make it impossible for private companies to give efficient service. The agitators would force a practical confiscation of the holdings of private capital in order to discourage further private enterprise. If they can harass the private companies until they ruin them the city will be compelled to embark in municipal Socialism. They justify their action by the claim that the end justifies the means. They have all to win and nothing to lose. It is a bold bid for public office. It means nothing to them that service would be wholly disrupted and taxes doubled; it is their function to spend the tax money that others pay. A loss of a million dollars a year in telephone and lighting service would not affect them in the least, so long as their jobs were secure.

There is in this, however, a stern duty for the "average citizen" to perform. If these attempts to exploit him for the benefit of the pay-roll brigade are to be permitted to continue, some of them will succeed. If he permit himself to be continuously dragged into these special elections, like the pitcher to the well, he will some time come back broken. It is not enough to vote them down; before those propositions were placed on the ballot a weak or venal Council had to approve them. The taxpayer should ask who voted in Council for such illogical projects and a few examples should be made at the next election.

UNCLE ABNER.

If you have a gold watch that will not run you can easily make it do so by melting it.

Amry Tibbs, who is out West, is not expected to live. The jury returned a verdict of "guilty."

There is only one harder thing to listen to than a sopraner with a cold in the head, and that is a phonograph with sand in the grooves.

There will never be a shortage in the crop of funny looking derbies.

There are still a few old-fashioned fellers who try to make both ends meet.

A woman cares more about the price of lace curtains than she does about the price of beefsteak or coal.

A convict out in Minnesota has become a poet. In other words, he has gone from bad to verse.

There is many a man called a merchant prince when he is in reality a merchant quince.

Whisky will never harm you if you don't swallow it.

It begins to look as if the shiny Prince Albert coat has come to stay.

Lem Higgins says he nearly died of strangulation once when he was a young man, but the governor's pardon arrived just in time.—[Roy K. Moulton in Topeka State Journal.

There are no holidays in 1916 that fall on a Sunday. Friday, October 13, will be a double hoodoo.

He Has a Laugh Coming.

HITS AND MISSES BY THE NEWSPAPERS.

High Rating for Germany.

[Boston Transcript:] As a result of Germany's promise to sink no more ships without warning, the London underwriters have reduced the premium on war risks by one-half of one per cent., which looks like a pretty high rating for a German pledge.

Different Now.

[Dallas News:] The British army on the Tigris is only a few miles from where Eden was, but it doesn't look like the same place now.

'Twas Ever Thus.

[Philadelphia North American:] A lot of men who have never raised their voices for preparedness will be the ones to send frantic appeals to their Congressmen asking for protection if war comes.

A Broad Hint.

[Baltimore American:] A New Jersey congregation presented its pastor with a lot in the cemetery. He tactfully took it as a kindly gift, but it might be construed by the cynically-minded as a mean hint that they considered him a dead one.

Will be Prostrated.

[Kansas City Journal:] The United States cannot be justly accused of ulterior motives in the advances it has made to the European powers looking to a world court that will exercise supreme international authority. It is still a matter of uncertainty, of course, as to how the war will end. But whichever side wins, it is plain that peace will find Europe prostrated if not actually bankrupt.

The Progressive Alternative.

[Washington Star:] It looks as if the Progressive party were expected to be prepared either to fade away tranquilly or start a riot in case of an emergency.

Bryan and His Kind.

[Philadelphia Enquirer:] It is men like the type of Bryan who are always in the public eye that make the public's eye so sore.

The Price of Whiskers.

[Washington Post:] After learning that a prominent Kentuckian asks $600 for the loss of his mustache in an explosion, one can only wonder how much Carranza would have been ahead under similar circumstances.

Something Just as Good.

[Houston Post:] Senator Stone says this is a good time for every one to hold his head. And if he hasn't any head to hold, let him hold his tongue.

McAdoo's Successful Trip.

[New York Sun:] Whatever else Secretary McAdoo's trip accomplished, it furnished the largest number of slights, insults, explanations and apologies any American traveler of recent years has brought to his country.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

TOWSER.

I drove a horse for a long, long time; through the summer dust and the winter rime I jogged along in my one-hoss shay, and never dreamed that a better way of locomotion I e'er would find, and Towser trotted along behind. A happy dog was old Towser then; he got acquainted with dogs and men, and found fine bones on the right of way, the while he followed my one-hoss shay. But Dobbin, the horse, grew out of date, and I bought a car that can hit a gait of forty miles in a fleeting hour, a thing that throbs with resistless power. Old Towser followed the car one day as I scorched the road on my townward way; he kept in sight for three parasangs, and then he muttered some bow-wow dangs and sneaked back home with a broken heart, and died the death 'neath a one-hoss cart. Alas, old dog, 'twas a bitter end, for one that long was a faithful friend, but the world moves on and that dog must fade that is too slow for the great parade; must lay him down 'neath the buttercups—and it's true of men, just as well as pups.

WALT MASON.

OPERA COMPANY SMUGGLERS.

[New York Sun:] Several members of a German opera company returning home after a prolonged Wagnerian tour through Holland, were arrested at Rotterdam on the charge of smuggling. The charge was based on these discoveries:

One woman had a side of bacon around her waist.

A hollow spear carried by one of the singers was filled with margarine.

Alberich's helmet was filled with butter.

Brunhilde's bosom bulged with soap; her pillow was stuffed with sausages.

The dragon was stuffed with flour.

Siegfried's back was padded with twenty-two pounds of fat.

The Dutch customs authorities confiscated all these foodstuffs.

Canadians Guard Niagara Falls.

[Philadelphia Press:] A Niagara Falls dispatch says: A machine gun has been placed near the approach to the lower steel arch bridge by a squad under command of Maj. Vandersluys of the Ninety-eighth Canadian battalion. The gun is well hidden behind a barricade of sand bags.

The Canadian authorities refuse to discuss the reason for placing the gun at the bridge.

The Quietus.

[Christian Register:] Joseph Chamberlain was a guest of honor at a dinner in an important city. The Mayor presided, and, when coffee was being served, he leaned over and touched Mr. Chamberlain, saying: "Shall we let the people enjoy themselves a little longer, or had we better have your speech now?"

CONVERSION BY ABUSE.

An Analytical Discussion of the Methods of the Rev. Billy Sunday.

BY JEANNE REDMAN.

What remnant of cowed forbears is in us that lets us pay for the privilege of hearing ourselves insulted? I know a magazine editor who tells me that the way to get the greatest number of subscribers is to affront the greatest number of persons. We elect the President who raps us the hardest; we attend the plays which show us the limit of our folly; we buy the books which tell us most about the frailty of the social structure, and point out to us what imbeciles we really are; and, above all, we go to hear the preacher who can call us the vilest names! Now, why is it?

If a man should call another, to his face, one-half the things that a preacher will apply to him, collectively, there would be, and quite properly, a fight. But a man will pay to hear a preacher (protected by what superstition I know not) call him, and alas! his womenfolk, every naughty thing on the calendar of undesirable epithets. By what right does Billy Sunday give women, when speaking to them en masse, low names for which he would be cow-hided if he addressed them as individuals? And why isn't he mobbed, anyway? Is it because he is speaking ex-cathedra? And who gives him the right to do that? Can it be that it is a comfort to hear one's fellow-man dubbed the mean things which one feels himself not to be? It seems that we suspect those saying nice compliments to us of ulterior motives. We do not believe them. Of course the truth is that we sinners are doing incredibly well, considering the hardships and depressions under which we proceed. We are struggling toward the top of the ladder all the time, and we fight unbelieveably hard against temptations to do things which we think would be against the common good. And why do we like to hear ourselves abused? Do we believe that we are unclean monsters—the heaven forbid that I should transcribe such vulgarity—that the revivalists and evangelists tell us we are? Are we devils or dolts? Pigs or pups?

When we were in school, we endured silently the indubitable injustices of our teachers; we firmly believed that father would make the best policeman on earth, and that mother was the best-looking woman in town, thereby displaying our capacity to be hypnotized. But we've grown up, and have only shifted our superstitions, instead of losing them. We now believe a preacher when he tells us that we, his fellow-humans, are an abomination on the face of the earth and in the sight of heaven. That is a notable difference between a child and an adult; a child is more of a revolutionary. When we tell a child that he has done wrong and is eligible for punishment, he seldom believes us; he doubts our wisdom, thinks us crazy; but when a preacher tells an adult that he is full of fiendish iniquities, the adult believes him, or what is very much worse, acts as though he did. He welcomes wholesale condemnation either because he thinks he deserves it or because he is too cowed to resent it.

Frankly, I do not believe one word of all the assorted opprobrium which Billy Sunday heaps upon us women, and I very much doubt if he does; but he knows the human mind, and how it loves to be abused; and how it loves to be shocked with vulgarities! Oh, oh!

It is a strange way to gather sheep into the fold; to use language so unbecoming that it appeals to the audience much as a dancer does who is advertised as wearing too few clothes. If such a man denounced us or exhorted us, in the conventional terms of obvious politeness, few would go to hear him. But how many really believe the sensationalist after they have heard him bluster—and is he not in danger of losing his own soul in the process? And where does he obtain all his information as to what we poor mortals are, in the sight of heaven?

From the Bible?

And if so, does he interpret literally? What of that passage of Holy Writ which says that whosoever calleth his brother a fool shall burn in the flames of hell?

CURT COMMENTS.

When Germany has to pay for losses caused by her submarines she may rechristen them I. O. U.-boats.—[Philadelphia North American.

Compared with the term of a President of the Irish republic that of a Chief Executive of Mexico is stable government. — [New York World.

If every American who does not want war should wire his Senator there would be 100,000,000 messages to deliver. — [Philadelphia North American.

Anyhow, the British have captured Dublin. — [Springfield Republican.

Is Sir Roger the man who but the ire in Ireland?—[Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

Is the correct quotation "blood and iron" or Stone and Gore?—Wall Street Journal.

It will be observed that a border Senator is always strong for preparedness.—[Washington Post.

Wilson Lauds Lincoln.—Headline. The campaign is on at last.—[Philadelphia North American.

At any rate, the Democratic donkey ought to be able to give the country a stable government.—[Florida Times-Union.

The British were luckier at Kut-el-Amara than we thought. They lost four generals. — [New York World.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Give your dog exercise. Let him go for a tramp every day!

It is proposed to christen the next dreadnaught the Jess Willard.

What a delightful thing a morning function would be if it was late!

The emblem of the new party, if one is organized, will be a squirrel.

That Egyptian Sphynx was as voluble as a fish-wife in comparison with Justice Hughes.

Looks natural like to see the Mohonk conference on international arbitration in session.

Where is the old-fashioned lover who used to pay with butter for all of his groceries?

A man asked a fellow on a wharf at Long Beach: "Is that the Pacific Ocean?" "Only a part of it," was the reply.

There are thousands of women in this world that are panting and shrieking for padlocks. But we're not mentioning no names.

Down South patent corncrackers are to supplant hand labor in the fields. That will knock out one of the favorite movie pictures.

A new York man has invented a remedy for taking the color out of red nose. There ought to be a lot of money in that proposition.

If the "little bad man from Bad" hopes to do a good turn for Arthur Warren Waite, on trial for his life in New York, he hopes in vain.

If you are asked to tell the age of a woman, you are expected to lie like a gentleman. Under no circumstances it is the only time.

Perseverance is necessary to produce results. Even the man who beats the bass drum sometimes gets something—he makes a noise in the world.

Mykimi and Kumagae, Japanese tennis players, have come to learn the net game from their compatriots at the Redondo long wharf.

A subject of a local article in society was: "Hell, location and population." And the article followed; "Tell Mother I'm Here."

There is a movement afoot in Ohio to compel every cat to wear a bell in order to save the birds. The mice are said to be against the proposition.

If President Wilson can keep his country to swallow any more indignation on the subject of foreign affairs he shall not be suffering from indigestion.

Col. Bryan will attend the St. Louis convention in the capacity of newspaper reporter. He will do the same job in 1856, when Fremont was nominated the first time.

Once upon a time the Democratic national platform was that fulfilled the platform wishes of the people. All platforms begin "once upon a time."

Democrats say they will abide by the two-thirds rule at the national convention. Every four years, however, this time we hear similar talk, but they always change their minds.

Prof. McDonald, in San Francisco, says that the next President will be either be Wilson or a Republican. What do you think of the intelligence of a specimen of Portland (Or.) humanity?

It was not necessary for Henry Morgenthau to resign his ambassadorship to Turkey in order to work for Wilson. Wilson's re-election in Turkey would be more effective.

When you meet a man who insists that the world is against him all the time walk on the other side of the street. He may not want you with his pessimism by contact.

Senator Harding says we must have for economy in the public service, but hardly get into the habit. We are after an appropriation. The Senator will get in bad with the national capital if he doesn't stop telling the truth.

The national platform of the G. O. P. have, and must have, one plank, to wit, note, "America, first." The question not which party as a party is for it. No party can win without it. The number which does not make the words the big sentiment.

Men who stand around the street corners with nothing to do but watch their trifling lamps upon the nimble-shaped pedals of fair and well-fully-hosed ladies ought to be arrested in the police court. Los Angeles has her share of the type.

JEWELS.

If I should see your eyes
I know how fair that
go—
Back to a morning in
With sapphire
snow.

Or back to oak-trees in the
When you unloosed
kissed
The head that lay
In the leaf-shadows

And, Oh, another
We would
dun
Wild mountain
One diamond
sun.

But I will turn my eyes
As women turn to
The jewels they
And cannot
—[Sara Teasdale in the

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He lived up to his reputation
the opening to the closing
of the four-round battle, which
the fastest match of its class
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REWSTER UNABLE TO STAND WHIRLWIND PUNCHING OF WILLIE HOPPE.

A Battle Royal.

LLIE HOPPE BUTCHERS REWSTER'S ASPIRATIONS.

ial Rounds go to Brewster but Hoppe Waits His Time and Sails in During the Last Inning—Fast Work Features Every Round and Brutal Clouts are Delivered by Both Sides—Whirlwind Stuff Wins.

BY AL G. WADDELL.

ll that was necessary to make the scene complete, was a butcher's apron and a meat ax for the referee. Willie Hoppe made the evening's entertainment a success by butchering Eddie Brewster's pugilistic aspirations and staking claim to just about all that is left in the fight profession in California. The first two rounds went to Brewster. The trim young man landed at will during the first round and in the second, chopped Hoppe's face into the same class as a healthy young Hamburger steak, but he could not stand the pace.

KEEPS AT IT.

Brewster lived up to his reputation as a fighter in opening to the closing round of the four-round battle, which was the fastest match of its class ever staged on the Pacific Coast, barring none. With the brute strength of a Lang Finn and the speed of a Willie Ritchie, Hoppe kept at Brewster, taking a punch to give one and occasionally allowing the clever boxer to step in for a try with his wicked left hook.

In the opening round, Brewster missed three swings, any one of which would have knocked Hoppe for the goal. Brewster kept boring in, with brutal clouts that brought cheers from the thousands crowded into the plant, and at the end of the first session, the fans were yelling, "Good night Hoppe."

EVEN WORSE.

In the second it looked even worse for Hoppe. He was unable to land on Brewster any place. Brewster kept chasing Brewster around the ring and swinging whenever the tiny young man loomed within reach of him. Once his missed swing carried him off his feet and fell flat on his face, and as if he had gone the count dead on his feet. Hoppe came back. In the third he opened up with a swing to the right ear. This was followed with a left to the jaw and then a straight right in the face planted one square on Brewster's nose. The fighters were well colored at this time and the scene would have passed for one in the ring when the lightweights used to beat each other for twenty rounds. Hoppe was getting stronger with every swing and Brewster was weakening.

JOLTED.

Early in the third, Brewster was staggered twice in the face with jabs that were enough to jar his head back and force him to the side. He began to breathe hard and Hoppe opened up that whirlwind stuff that has given him a big leaguer of the fistic game.

Never once did Hoppe even headlock. He kept at Brewster with that style until he had him well on the run, and then began to do a little slugging. With the blood streaming down his face and a look of fear in his eyes, Brewster held on when he had a chance and fought for all of the time he was fighting distance.

The crowd began yelling for a knockout and the bell was all that saved Brewster in the third. Hoppe was forcing the defender overtime and was a muchly wilted pugilist as the bout round started.

TERRIBLE.

Early in the opening of the fourth was a repetition of Hoppe which sent Brewster to the ropes, where Hoppe landed another slam on the left jaw. For a few seconds Brewster covered and fought like a champion, the crowd went wild. Men were dancing on rickety chairs and benches until their wind pipes were cracked. Hoppe kept up that consistent hammering, and again Brewster went down.

Like the dying embers of a fire fanned back into a flame by the yells of the crowd Brewster, the failing strength of Brewster came back and he planted three straight lefts and one right hook on the chin as the round ended. The fourth finish, and the decision was awarded to Hoppe.

PRELIMS FUNNY.

The preliminaries were a joke, in comparison to the great fight between the barroom fighter, Hoppe, and the trim boxer, Brewster.

In the first event Frank Garcia put George Amond in cold storage in less than two rounds.

Jimmy Lastro and George Moss put up a rotten sparring exhibition, which dragged out for four full rounds, and ended, in a chorus of hoots and boohs, in a draw.

Young Ergo and Frankie Monroe put on four fast sessions, and Ergo won a popular decision.

Lang Finn and Red Mathews did their turn in elegant style, and Mathews won in the last round with a flash of clever boxing backed up with a series of well-planted clouts.

RATHER POOR.

The story of the four-round go between Joe Lopez and Kid Smiley is told in four words — rotten, ditto, ditto, ditto. In the last round the boys did wake up and swing a few, but as a fight it was the best wrestling match of the evening.

The house was packed. Before 8 o'clock Jack Doyle issued orders to sell no more seats, and it's a good thing he did. There was not even standing room, and more than 1000 fans were turned away. If Jack Doyle can arrange a few more bouts like the Brewster-Hoppe affair he will have to lease the ball park next door to accommodate his friends.

BALL TO TACKLE CHRISTIANSON.

Tony Ball, the undefeated lightweight wrestler, whose recent work has pleased the fans of Southern California, will meet Christianson, the 220-pound heavyweight champion of Sweden, at the Knickerbocker Athletic Club, No. 643 South Olive street, next Friday night. The bout will be catch-as-catch-can, and will be the best two out of three falls.

An extraordinary preliminary card is now being arranged by Joseph A. Eliason, and he promises some lively events in this part of the evening's entertainment. Ball and Christianson wrestled fifteen minutes to a draw at a recent police benefit at the Homestead Athletic Club, and both of the big men are anxious to meet again, and each is confident of defeating his opponent.

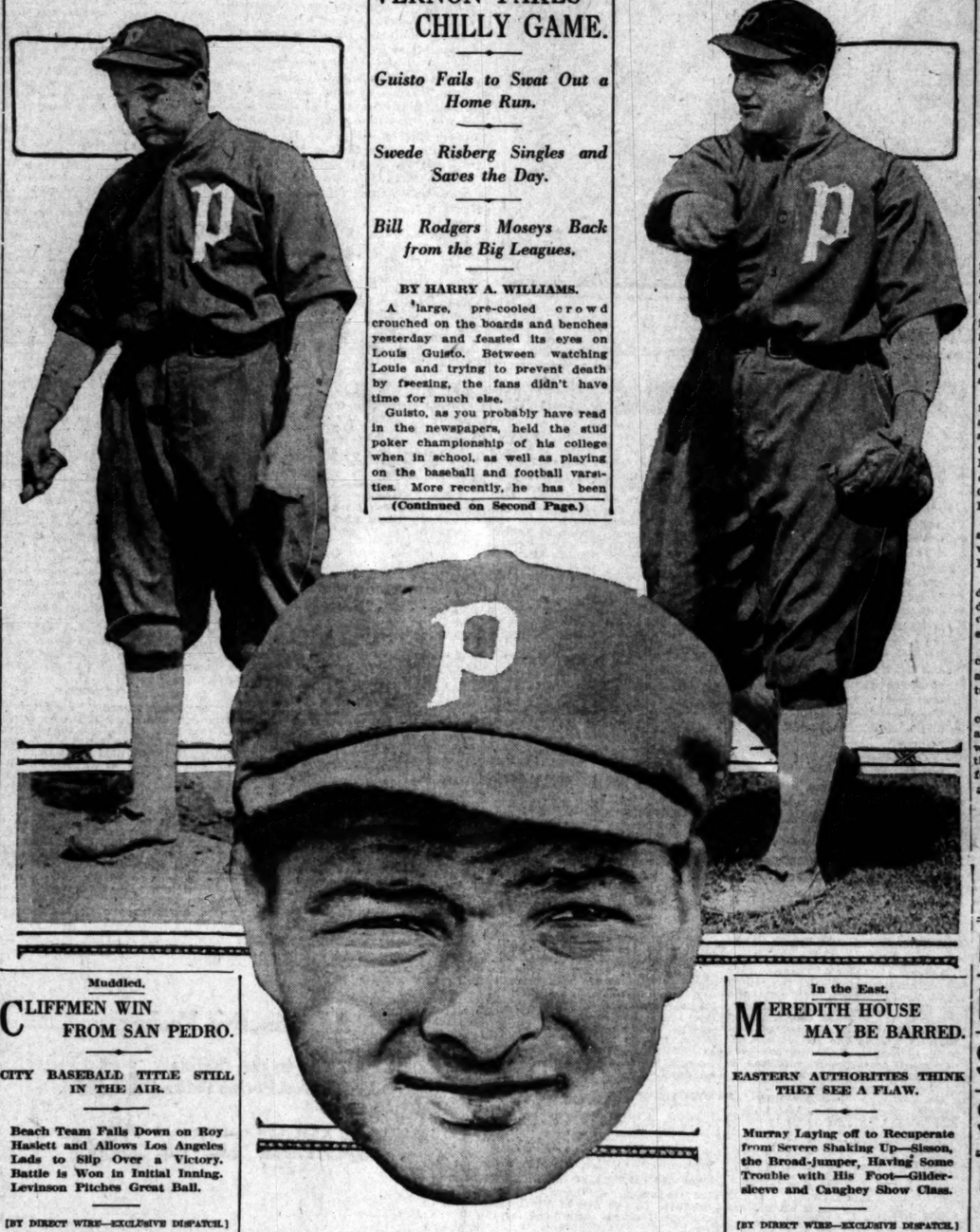
For the thirteenth year and for the third year in succession the famous Celtic Association Football Club has won the Scottish League championship. During the season just completed the Celtic team established a new goal-scoring record for the Scottish League, totaling 116 points, which beats the previous best mark of 103 gained by Falkirk in 1907-8 season.

ANGELUS CLUB DENIED PERMIT.

The Angelus Athletic Club was denied a permit by the Police Commission yesterday for its Saturday night boxing show. This action by the commission probably means the passing of the amateur fight from the city proper.

"Yes, the permit was denied," said Police Commissioner Parley M. Johnson last night, "for several reasons which I do not care to state. Whether any more permits are granted will depend on where the boxing bouts are held and who compete in them. They will not be granted to those who were present today and have been boxing here in the past. The boxers must be real amateurs like those who box under A.A.U. rules."

That sounds very much like a death knoll and funeral music for the "amateur fights."



Louie Guisto, "him what hits."

A few close-up studies of the slugging Beaver recruit, who leads the league in home runs and who is regarded by the astute Mr. McCredie as the find of the century.

Pre-cooled.

VERNON TAKES CHILLY GAME.

Guisto Fails to Swat Out a Home Run.

Swede Risberg Singles and Saves the Day.

Bill Rodgers Moseys Back from the Big Leagues.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

A large, pre-cooled crowd crouched on the boards and benches yesterday and feasted its eyes on Louis Guisto. Between watching Louie and trying to prevent death by freezing, the fans didn't have time for much else.

Guisto, as you probably have read in the newspapers, held the stud poker championship of his college when in school, as well as playing on the baseball and football varsities. More recently, he has been

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Some Real Speed.

EMPIRE CAR SETS NEW CROSS-COUNTRY RECORD.

Bobby Hammond Makes Transcontinental Trip in Six Days and Ten Hours—Travels 600 Miles in Seventeen Hours Without Companion—Machine is "Pinched" in New Jersey for Speeding and Loses Time.

[The following story was wired to The Times last night from New York City by a party named Tom O. Jones.—Ed.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Bobby Hammond, driving an Empire car from San Francisco to New York, established a new transcontinental record of six days, ten hours and fifty-eight minutes when he checked in at Forty-second street and Broadway at 1:59 p.m. today. This mark established by Hammond, driving alone, reduces the best previous record, set but a week ago, by more than twenty-five hours.

Hammond left San Francisco at 12:01 a.m. Wednesday, May 17, carrying a United States mail sack containing greetings from Mayor Rolph of San Francisco to Mayor Mitchel of New York. Practically without stop he drove to Ogden, Utah, in thirty-six hours; thence the route was via Cheyenne, Omaha, Clinton, Ill.; Fort Wayne, Ind.; Canton, O.; Pittsburgh and Philadelphia to New York.

The direct mileage on this route is 3384 miles, or about eighty miles farther than the southern route. It is the course of the Lincoln Highway, and the record, therefore, stands also for this transcontinental road. Outside of Hammond's run from San Francisco to Ogden, the fourth day was the most sensational, when, without companion, he drove from Omaha to Elkhart, Ind., over 600 miles, in about seventeen hours. His companion on the early stages of the trip was compelled to leave the car beyond Cheyenne. At Fort Wayne Hammond picked up Herbert Wasson of the Empire Automobile Company's force as companion to New York.

The record driver and car were enthusiastically greeted here. Representing the city government, Traffic Officer Pat MacDonald, champion weight thrower, stationed at Forty-second street and Broadway, signed Hammond's checking book on the completion of the tour.

Big Pat stopped traffic as the crowd gathered. Then the tourists drove to the City Hall, violating all precedents by bumping the curb and driving across the Esplanade to the very door. Hammond and Wasson carried their mail sack to the Mayor's office, where, in the absence of the executive, Secretary Martin broke the seal and emptied the pouch.

The Empire driven on the record-breaking tour was a regular Empire chassis fitted with speedster-type body and extra tanks for gasoline, oil and water. The car is the lowest-priced machine which has ever held the transcontinental record or even gone after the mark.

Except for the loss of one head lamp, the car was intact and in good condition on arrival here. Hammond figures his gasoline consumption as fourteen miles to the gallon, except in mountains, where the average was cut to eleven miles. Considerable time could have been taken from the mark but for the fact that the tourists were stopped in New Jersey for speeding.

Muddled.

CLIFFMEN WIN FROM SAN PEDRO.

CITY BASEBALL TITLE STILL IN THE AIR.

Beach Team Falls Down on Roy Haslett and Allows Los Angeles Lads to Slip Over a Victory. Battle is Won in Initial Inning. Levinson Pitches Great Ball.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, May 23.—Los Angeles High School and Poly are tied for the city championship. Three minutes after the opening of the game here between Los Angeles and San Pedro, the Cliff-dwellers had cinched their right to share the baseball honors with the Mechanics. The score was 6 to 2 and the game was won in the first inning.

The San Pedro team was supposed to stand by Roy Haslett of Poly and defeat Los Angeles High, thus leaving Poly high and dry in first place. They turned Haslett down cold. Blowing up in the first inning, they bobbled and made errors. Before they came down Los Angeles had score three runs.

Lefty Levinson had the harbor boys swinging from the first. Ten of them struck out. In only one inning was he touched at all. Anderson, the San Pedro first baseman, drove out a home run, sending Wayne across the plate ahead of him. That was in the fifth inning. Levinson saw that such a thing never happened again. He allowed only six hits.

SAN PEDRO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Farr, cf	4	0	0	1	1	0
Johnson, c	3	0	1	9	2	0
Brown, lf	3	0	1	1	1	0
Fairall, rf	4	0	0	1	0	1
Tousous, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Griffin, 2b	4	0	1	3	1	1
Waldon, ss	4	0	0	2	3	1
Wayne, 3b	4	1	1	4	2	1
Anderson, 1b	3	1	1	7	0	0
Totals	34	2	6	27	12	3

LOS ANGELES.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Adams, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
J. Shafer, ss	4	1	1	2	2	0
Funk, 1b	4	1	1	9	0	1
Haslett, c	4	1	1	11	0	0
O. Shafer, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Lefler, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Roberts, 2b	4	1	1	4	4	0
Murray, 2b	4	1	2	2	2	0
Levinson, p	4	1	2	1	3	0
Totals	36	6	8	27	8	1

SCORE BY INNINGS.

San Pedro	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Los Angeles	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	—6

SUMMARY.

Home run—Anderson. Two-base hits—Johnson, Levinson, 2. Struck out—By Tousous, 6; by Levinson, 10. Bases on balls—Off Tousous, 4. Hit by pitcher—Johnson. Stolen bases—Murray. Sacrifice hit—Brown. Umpire—Rheinhart.

One of the features of the fiftieth anniversary celebration of the Massachusetts Agricultural College of Amherst next summer will be the dedication of the new athletic field, now in course of construction.

In the East.

MEREDITH HOUSE MAY BE BARRED.

EASTERN AUTHORITIES THINK THEY SEE A FLAW.

Murray Laying off to Recuperate from Severe Shaking Up—Sisson, the Broad-Jumper, Having Some Trouble with His Foot—Gildersleeve and Caughey Show Class.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) May 23.—The University of California and Stanford athletes had another workout in the Harvard Stadium this afternoon in preparation for the intercollegiate track meet here later in the week. Capt. Murray of Stanford did not show up, but Trainer Reynolds said that he was taking a layoff to recuperate from a bad shaking up he received while hurdling at Michigan. He will be fit for Saturday, Reynolds added.

Sisson, the broad jumper, is having a little trouble with one of his feet, but expects to round to form shortly. The duel between Worthington of Dartmouth and Sisson for broad jump honors should be most interesting.

TROUBLE.

Meredith House, the Riverside member of the Stanford team, according to a report, may not participate in the meet. The Stanford boys, however, have heard nothing of it. It is said that House took part during the past summer in an open track meet, which fact before has rendered men ineligible for the big meet.

Gildersleeve and Caughey are making a fine impression with the weights and both boys stand a fine chance to win first place in their respective competitions.

P. R. Wilson also has an excellent opportunity to capture the mile Saturday.

Walter Christie met Ned Mahan, who is going to assist in coaching California in football. Christie thinks that a little more room and better ground facilities would make the Stadium the ideal place for big games.

CARD NET MEN WIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—The Far West again demonstrated its prowess at tennis this afternoon when Leland Stanford University defeated the University of Chicago in singles and doubles.

Herbert Hahn, the Pacific Coast intercollegiate champion, was at his best, and easily disposed of Lindauer, 6-3 and 6-2. H. Van Dyke Johns of the visitors disposed of Clark, 8-6 and 6-2.

In the doubles Hahn and Johns defeated Lindauer and Clark, 6-3 and 7-5.

The Wrestling Champs.

GOTCH AND STECHER MAY MEET FOR WORLD TITLE.

Jack Curley Engineering Movement for Big Match and Hopes to Get Principals Lined up Soon—Willard and Gotch Having Great Luck as Circus Performers. Stecher Anxious for Championship Go.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Articles for the much discussed and long deferred match between F. Gotch of Humboldt, Iowa, and J. Stecher of Dodge, Neb., for the wrestling championship may be signed before the present week is ended. Principals, their managers and the men admittedly in the market for the bout are expected to gather in Lafayette, Ind., either Thursday or Friday, to sit for the official photographer and advance the mat mix-up to the agreement stage.

HOPEFUL.

Jack Curley is engineering the movement for the round-up and he is hopeful of lining up the directly-interested parties for a confab about the time, the place, the purse and the referee. Stecher will be exhibiting at Indianapolis the latter part of the week and the circus with which Gotch and Willard are appearing is doing the candle-light circuit of Hoosierdom, so it should not be difficult to get the men together at Lafayette. A short interurban ride would bring both Gotch and Stecher to the Indiana city.

PROMOTERS.

Curley is making efforts to induce Gene Melady of Omaha, Oscar Thorson of Des Moines and Billy Scoville of Kansas City, the principal bidders for the match, to make the trip to Lafayette and make their bids for a Labor Day bout. If the meeting is pulled off in Lafayette it is not unlikely that Joe Coffey of this city will be in attendance. It is also not improbable that Coffey will make an attractive offer for the match for Chicago. At present Gene Melady is considered the most likely promoter, although both Thorson and Scoville have strong backing.

GOTCH O. K.

Curley, in an interview given out at Lafayette, said that Gotch had fully recovered from his recent illness and that he was showing the old-time snap and spirit in his circus exhibitions. Gotch, according to Curley, is more hopeful than ever before that he can "come back" and give as good an account of his prowess as at any time in the past. He and Jess Willard are said to be scoring heavily as circus attractions.

M'HALE SIGNS WITH CLEVELAND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, May 23.—Pitcher Marty McHale, formerly of the New York and Boston Americans, today signed a contract to pitch for the Cleveland American League club.

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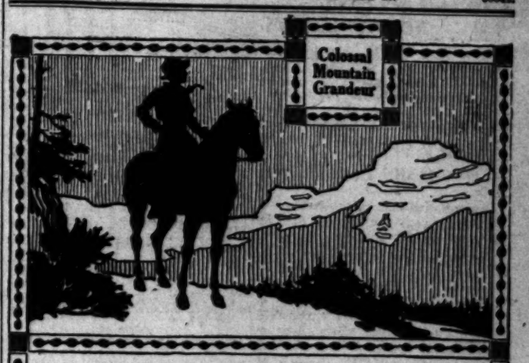

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Howard Expects to Stage a Big Comeback.

Sylvester at Top Form for Speed Battle.

BY HOWARD ANGUS.

A special 100-yard swim is to be held at the L.A.A.C. tomorrow night. In the last handicap meet there was a 100-yard dash in which everybody claimed to be the winner and pitifully outraged. Nobody knew whether there was a winner or not. So in order to put an end to much loud talking and violent protesting, Vance Frederick Veith ordered the race to be run over.

There will be four starters in this race tomorrow. They will be Jimmy Leech, Bob Howard, Jack Kilburn and Guy Sylvester. These four men are the ones that finished first and second in the two heats in the handicap.

SPECIAL INTEREST.

This race will be of special importance because it will bring Guy Sylvester and Bob Howard together in a race for the first time this season. These two swimmers have always been placed in separate heats.

Howard at one time was the fastest swimmer in the south for the 100 yards. An operation for appendicitis not only laid Bob on the table but also on the shelf for many months. At present he is just beginning to get back into his old-time form.

Sylvester is at top form. Although 33 years of age and beginning to molt, the "old man of the tank" is at the height of his career as a swimmer in the south. In his days as a Pennsylvania University duck he went faster. Yesterday in practice he swam in 1m. 2-5s. for the 100-yard dash.

WORRIED.

Bob Howard was watching when Guy did this. The rival's only remark was: "When the old man does that in a meet, I'll begin to get worried."

This rivalry between Howard and Sylvester is taking the place of the old Tuttle-Sylvester feud which resulted triumphantly for Guy.

The club swimmers are fairly evenly divided in their support of the two arch rivals. Billy Williams, the national diving champion, is the chief second, towel swinger and general of the Guy Sylvester faction. The Mr. Napoleon Hannibal Alexander of the Howard forces is none other than Honest John Aseltine.

After Thursday night both Sylvester and Howard will have other worries than their own. Ludy Langer, the long distance swimming champion, has come south and will turn sprinter. Inasmuch as Ludy can swim a 100-yards in almost championship time, his home-coming makes the old standbys at the club a little shaky about the knees.

GILLETTE HANDS O'BRIEN A SURPRISE.

Byron Gillette defeated Shorty O'Brien at the Jonathan Club last night at 18.2 balkline by the score of 150 to 100 in eighteen innings. Gillette was representing the L.A.A.C.

Gillette at times thought he was Willie Hoppe. Especially was this true on his last run when he went out with an unfinished run of seventy-five. The victory of Gillette was a surprise to O'Brien's Jonathan supporters. They figured that their man would win easily. However, had they asked George Towle, he would have told them that Byron Gillette had been practicing and that his touch was getting very light.

On Thursday the two players will cross cues in another match. This one will be played at the L.A.A.C.

CHICAGO DEFEATS NORTHWESTERN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—The University of Chicago defeated Northwestern University at baseball, 9 to 4, today.

THREE SPEEDY CARS ENTERED.

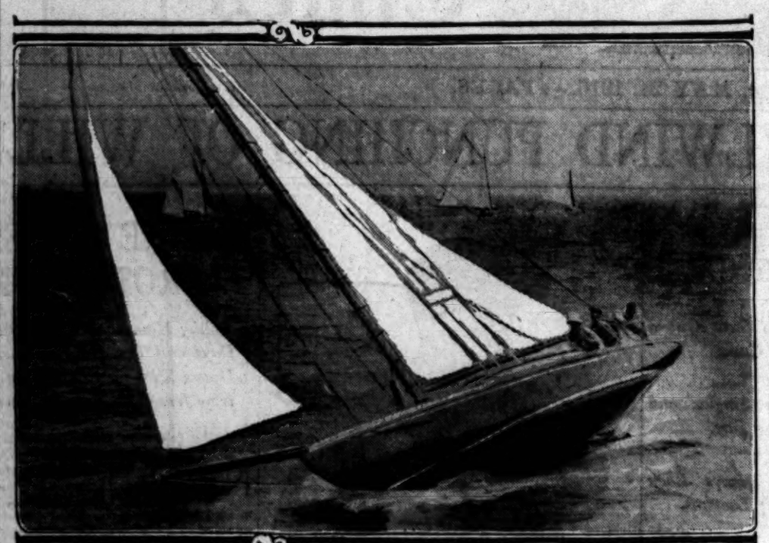
[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Harry Harkness sent in his three entries for the International Derby at Speedway Park, June 10, today. Two of the cars are De Lages; the third is a Pusun, which Press Agent Patterson spelled Pu-Sun, trying to make one think it was a Chinese speed marvel patterned after the flying dragon of Manchu.

Jules de Vigne will pilot one De Lage. He made ninety-six miles an hour at Sheepshead Bay for 150 miles. The local track is about eight and one-half miles faster than the eastern roadway. Jack Le Cain, who was the late Carl Limberg's team mate, will drive the other De Lage.

The third car, which is a Simplex overhauled and disguished, known locally as a laundry entry, will be piloted by one Franchi, whose name, to coincide with the car, should be spelled Fran-Chi.

These bring the number of actual entries up to seventeen.



Heeling over under the wind.

One of the fast yachts in the race for the Commodore's Cup last Sunday off San Pedro.

Tears.

SERAPHS DROP ONE TO OAKS.

SPEED MARTIN GETS BACK INTO WINNING FORM.

Oakland Team Stands Valiantly Behind Pitcher and Slams Out Bunched Hits—Angels do Some Splendid Work but Fail to Land Necessary Runs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Speed Martin got back into winning form today with his return to San Francisco, and in revenge for the setback he suffered last week at the hands of the Tigers of Vernonland, stripped the Angels of a 4 to 2 session.

Oakland backed up Martin with bunched hits that counted at times, but McLarry is entitled to a fair share of the credit, since it was an atrocious error by the second sacker that gave the Oaks two of their scores.

GREAT WORK.

Martin allowed five scattered hits, although the brace of southern talent was earned. His fielding of his own position was one of the features, no less than three of the Chance men being caught off first base.

Three bunched hits gave the Oaks a run in the second. Rube Gardner singled, Infield and Mal Barry punched the sphere through short. Rowdy Elliott laid a two-sacker against the right field fence and with a double steal scored the Rube.

The fourth saw the count even when Wolter drew a pass and came around as Koerner tripled to center.

In the fifth Davis sent a slow one to short and Butler fumbled. Davis stole as Martin fanned and Middleton was retired on an infield tap. Lane and Kenworthy were walked. Gardner rolled the ball to McLarry, who cuffed it about while Rube was safe and two Oakland runs were home.

WOLTER TRAVELS.

In the seventh Harry Wolter connected again. He opened with a walk, stole and was driven in by McLarry's double.

Just to make it good and safe Bill Kenworthy went the rounds in the last of the eighth. He poled a double to left and registered as Elliott slammed one past Zabel to center.

The score:

LOS ANGELES.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Maggert, cf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Ellis, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Wolter, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Koerner, 1b	4	0	1	9	2	0
Calloway, 2b	4	0	0	4	0	0
McLarry, 2b	3	0	0	2	0	0
Rolue, c	4	0	0	4	3	0
Butler, ss	3	0	0	2	3	1
Horstman, p	3	0	0	0	1	0
Kane, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Zabel, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	0	4	27	9	1

x—Batted for Horstman in eighth.

OAKLAND.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Middleton, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lane, cf	4	1	0	3	0	0
Kenworthy, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Gardner, ss	3	1	1	1	3	0
Barry, 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Elliott, lf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Fabrega, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	0
Davis, 3b, ss	3	0	0	3	1	1
Martin, p	3	0	0	1	4	0
Berger, ss	1	0	0	1	1	0
Totals	32	4	3	27	20	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

Los Angeles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	4
Oakland	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	x	4
Base hits	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	x	3

SUMMARY.

Three runs, 5 hits, of Horstman, 28 at bat, in 7 innings. Stolen bases—Wolter, Gardner, Barry, Davis. Three-base hit—Koerner. Two-base hits—Elliott, Barry, McLarry, Kenworthy, Ellis. First base on balls—Off Horstman, 4; off Martin, 5; off Zabel, 1. Charge defeat to Horstman. Struck out—By Horstman, 4; by Martin, 6. Double plays—Calloway, unassisted; Koerner to Butler. Runs responsible for—Horstman, 1; Zabel, 1; Martin, 2. Left on bases—Los Angeles, 5; Oakland, 3. Time of game—2h. Umpires—Guthrie and Finney.

OLDER GOLFERS BEAT THE INFANTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DALLAS (Tex.) May 23.—The younger golf players were uniformly the prey of the steadier arms and keener vision of the "old masters" in the qualifying rounds of the fifteenth annual tournament of the Southern Golf Association, which opened on the links of the Dallas Country Club today and will continue five days.

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GIANTS SWEEP WESTERN TRIP.

Should the New York Giants win today they will have accomplished something almost unprecedented in baseball—made a clean sweep of their western trip.

They have not lost a game away from home, and the last one will be staged today. Starting West, they won two and lost thirteen. Since then they have taken four games from Pittsburgh, two from Chicago, four from St. Louis and two from Cincinnati. Two games in Chicago and one in Cincinnati were postponed. The Giants are now only three and a half games behind the leaders.

The Giants started their winning streak on the 13th of May after they had dropped thirteen games. If they win today it will make thirteen straight wins. Who says thirteen is an unlucky number.

RATH'S ERRORS PROVE COSTLY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALT LAKE CITY (Utah) May 23.—Rath's two errors in the fourth gave San Francisco five runs and the game today, the final score being 9 to 6. Hughes was hit hard during his time on the mound, but Warhop pitched fine ball. It was announced that Jack Dalton has been purchased from the Detroit club by the Seals to play the outfield. Score:

SAN FRANCISCO.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Jones, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0
Schaller, lf	3	2	2	1	0	0
Rodie, cf	3	2	2	3	0	0
Downs, 2b	5	1	3	0	3	0
Coffey, ss	4	0	1	1	4	0
Ryan, 1b	4	0	0	13	0	0
Shean, rf	3	0	2	2	0	0
Sheehan, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Brooks, c	4	1	1	3	1	0
Coumb, p	4	1	1	1	2	0
Totals	37	9	11	27	14	0

SALT LAKE.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Quinlan, cf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Bash, 2b	4	0	1	2	3	0
Brier, 1b	3	0	0	12	2	0
Ryan, lf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Shinn, rf	4	0	0	4	1	0
Dyer, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
Murphy, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Hannah, c	4	1	1	5	1	0
Hughes, p	3	1	1	1	3	0
Chabek, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Warhop, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	38	4	6	27	12	2

SCORE BY INNINGS

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
San Francisco	2	0	2	5	0	0	0	0	0—9
Base hits	3	0	1	3	0	0	1	1	2—11
Salt Lake	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	2—6
Base hits	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	3—6

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Jones, Downs, Hughes. Three-base hit—Ryan. Sacrifice hit—Brooks. Bases on balls—Off Couch, 2; off Hughes, 3; of Warhop, 1. Struck out—By Couch, 2; by Hughes, 1; by Warhop, 1. Five runs, 7 hits, 17 at bat, of Hughes in 4 2-3 innings, out in fourth, 2 on, 2 out; 4 runs, 2 hits, 3 at bat, of Chabek in less than 1-3 inning, out in fourth, 2 on, 2 out; no runs, 1 hit, 17 at bat, of Warhop in 5 1-3 innings. Runs responsible for—Hughes, 4; Couch, 4. Charge defeat to Hughes. Left on bases—San Francisco, 7; Salt Lake, 4. Passed ball—Brooks. Wild pitch—Hughes. First on errors—San Francisco, 2. Time of game—1h. 41m. Umpires—Held and Brashear.

ATHLETOC BOSSES DECIDE TO QUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

MANHATTAN (Kan.) May 23.—Resignations of Athletic Director John Bender and Prof. Guy Lowman of the physical education department of the Kansas State Agricultural College have been received and will be accepted, President H. J. Waters announced today. President Waters stated today that the college had suffered from lack of teamwork.

CITY CHAMPS TO BE DECIDED?

It will be decided today whether Los Angeles and Poly will play off their tie for the city championship. E. W. Oliver is strongly opposed to playing off ties.

Poly has defeated Los Angeles twice this season and Haslett believes that a best two out of three games series should be played. He thinks it would be unfair to Poly to have the championship hinge on one game, having already won twice.

Porcine.

TROUT SCARCE? THESE SAY NOT.

TWO LIMIT STRETCHERS TAKEN ON THE SISQUOC.

Pair of Anglers Proves that Plenty of Fish Exist for Men Willing to Work Hard Enough, but Violated the Law in Doing It—Ready for the Week-end.

Although some persons have sought to excuse their own failures by laying the blame upon a scarcity of trout when trout are not scarce, other anglers are getting into trouble occasionally by finding too many fish in willing frame of mind, and leaving their memories or their licenses at home. The limit still is fifty, as Homer Hughes and Jack Roberts found out on the Sisquoc River in Santa Barbara county, when Deputy Fish and Game Commissioner Henry J. Abels made them exhibit a catch of 171 fish, and placed them under arrest for violating the creel-limit.

Needless to add, the fishing in the Sisquoc was excellent.

They were a fine lot of fish, and no telling how many more could have been taken. The Sisquoc is not so inaccessible as it is off the beaten track where most anglers never would think of going. Those who did the year after the big fire were disappointed, so much ash washing into the stream that the fishing was injured, but not, as then thought, permanently. This catch indicates the Sisquoc, which is one of the headwaters of the Santa Maria River, has "come back."

Small fish still are taking black midge-flies on the Santa Ynez; but the Sisquoc fish are fine, big "rainbows" of particularly brilliant coloring, as handsome trout as ever graced a creel.

Already planning for the big holiday to begin this week-end is going on ahead. Given fair weather, it is estimated the biggest turnout of fishermen of every persuasion from fresh to salt will take the field against the finny tribe that has ever been known in Southern California, exceeding even the opening day interest. Fourteen thousand angling licenses have been sold by the Fish and Game Commission, with this increased demand yet to come.

Reports come from the high seas that the yellowtail, bonita and, along the kelp, the sea bass are lending variety to the trollers' catches of barracuda and rock-bass. The trolling has been excellent, and sea anglers are at last coming again into their own. Yesterday's high wind was bad, but the fish seem to be everywhere.

The Polo Association has fitted up three playing fields at the Point Judith Club, Narragansett Pier, R. I., belonging to the association, and it is the object of the association to make the place the Hurlingham of America. The senior, junior and open championships, also five other cup events, in addition to the games before and during the tournament, will be played between July 17 and August 14 at Point Judith.

TWO-MILE RUN MAY BE RULED OUT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MADISON (Wis.) May 23.—The University of Wisconsin authorities, who forced the school to take rowing off the schedule of intercollegiate sports, are now after the two-mile run, and the report from faculty sources today is that there will be such a report turned in against this event that it will never be participated in again by a Badger athlete. The charge against the two-mile run is the same as that against rowing, the alleged evil effects upon the heart. The Wisconsin Medical Committee authorities conducted a series of tests on the members of the crew and ruled that sport ought to be abolished because of its effect. Eastern universities made similar tests, and found none of the deleterious effects, but rowing was never reinstated. The faculty members who want the long run abolished have asked the doctors to make a similar test of the hearts of the running squad.

BILLY PAPKE TO TRY TO COME BACK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Billy Papke is going to try another "come-back." The former middleweight champion, after an absence from the ring of nearly two years and a half, will meet Johnny Howell of Bayonne, N. J., on June 1, in a ten-round bout at the Clermont Club, Brooklyn. Albert Badout, claimant of the welterweight championship of Europe, was matched today with Italian Joe Mans, at the Washington Park Sporting Club, Brooklyn, for the night of May 30.

Jimmy Johnston, manager of Madison Square Garden, has offered Ever Hammer, the Chicago lightweight who recently gave Freddie Welsh a hard battle in ten rounds at Milwaukee, a bout with Benny Leonard to take place in the Garden on June 6.

YELLOW CANARIES AS ENTERTAINERS.

A flock of yellow canaries are introduced at Levy's this week. They are led by Lou Davis and Ellen Godsey in a "Canary Cottage" number. This is one of the numerous new features introduced for the week.

Los Espanson offer a series of pure Spanish dances which are the highest type of this style of entertainment. They costume their act beautifully and are one of the big hits of the week.

The dancing girls also offer a couple of new numbers full of life and harmony.

WHITE SOX TO START UP AGAIN.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, May 23.—The Long Beach White Sox baseball team of last year is in the throes of reorganization and this city will soon have a string of competent diamond performers working out under Manager Wylie Haslett, who managed the nine last season, and Capt. Fred Evans, former Coast League hurler and pitcher of the local team in past seasons. Evans is also a former slabster of Dan Tobey's fast P. E. nine that won the semi-pro championship of the south last year.

Haslett will attend to the business affairs of the new organization and Evans will handle the playing reins of the squad. The pitching staff will be composed of Evans and "Tiny" Rhodes, well-known Southern California semi-pro performer and one-time star pitcher in the Kansas State League.

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publicly demonstrating what a college education will do for a strong young guy by hitting home runs thither and yon, although not hither, as yet.

All his attempts at hitting a home run hither were in vain. But he did crack out a double and a single, and in this way helped to satisfy the fans who were infuriated by the cold.

VERNON WINS.

Vernon won, 5 to 4. The end came in the ninth, which is the ideal time for settling such affairs. Three hits off a stranger by the name of Kelly did the business. Swede Risberg, like the young player of fiction, landed the last and most important of these. With two outs and two strikes against him, the Terrible Swede rose up in his wrath and smote out a single, counting Don Rader from third. The score had been tied since the sixth, said knot being supplied by Portland.

This single was the only warm thing in the park at that time. The crowd was pre-cooled, most of it having caught cold on the way to the park. The further the game went the lower the temperature of the crowd dropped. At the finish most of the crowd's temperature had dropped so low that it was located in the feet. Not only was it just naturally cold, but there was a cutting wind. This wind whistled through the whiskers of all those present with the exception of the ladies, who haven't any whiskers to be whistled through. But for these things, and the report that it is snowing up in Canada, even more persons might have turned out to give Guisto the O. O.

TAKE IT AWAY.

Casey Castleman, whose business it is to feed the crowd daily, had four or five tubs of ice cream on hand in anticipation of a pleasant and profitable day. This was hardly touched, most of the fans being chilled clear down to the stomach already. They would have welcomed an injection of hot tomato soup or clam bullion, but none of this was to be had on call.

The wind was not the only squally thing in the place. The game itself contained a tempest or two. Gleichmann was fired in the first, and Willie received the rasamataz in the third. By a strange coincidence both were seen arguing with the umpire just before departing. It is believed that they were kicking on decisions. Both teams seemed to have a kick coming. Probably that is why Billie Phyle kicked one player off each team. When a team feels that it has a kick coming Billy believes in delivering the same.

GREAT TRAGEDY.

That great tragedy, "Back to the Minors," was enacted in the ninth. In that inning Bill Rodgers moseyed in through the corner gate and took his place in the field just as though he had never been away. Bill arrived some time during the afternoon from Cincinnati on one of our well-known common carriers. Instinct mashed him to trail the team to the ball yard, and, pulling on a uniform, he entered the arena. Bill looked just like old times, and the crowd, quick to recognize him, made him feel right at home. McCredie was so pleased to see Bill that he hustled him out into right field to relieve Great Gus, who went in when Willie went out. The game, however, was too far gone for Bill to really get his hand in. He fielded not; neither did he bat.

The result was in doubt most of the time. Portland got away to a two-run lead. Vernon had tied it up by the third and counted two more in the fifth. The count was tied a second time when Vaughn, Guisto and Stumpf drubbed Decanniere for two runs.

GUISTO STARTS.

Right at the start McGaffigan was given an error on Willie's hard-hit ball. Vaughn walked. Here it was that the Guisto boy entered into the plot for the first time. With an easy, half-careless swing he drove a fly to deep center. Mattick was playing for him. The ball was so far out that Willie had no trouble in going to third after the catch. On Mattick's throw to that corner Vaughn advanced to second, to which point the pill was quickly relayed. Vaughn looked to have oversild the base and in the argument that followed Gleichmann had the rollers placed under him. Griggs went in and filled up the ranks at first base. With Willie and Vaughn in a position to score, both of them did so on Nixon's single to center. Mattick heaved in and might have nailed the second runner had not Decanniere decided to harpoon the ball as it was coming. Nixon was flagged stealing, and Stumpf flied to Mattick.

The surly Mr. Higginbotham started the afternoon by crabbing on Doyle's decision on the first ball that he armed over. Jack ran out like he intended to jab his finger in Erve's eye. Then he changed his mind, and, returning to his post of honor, called the next one a strike. Whereupon, Higginbotham lifted his cap and thanked him kindly. With the formalities over, Doane and Griggs were retired. Then there came a flock of singles by Risberg, Bates and Daley. Higgy couldn't charge any of these to the umpire. Risberg scored from second on Daley's single, mainly because Speas missed the plate by twenty feet. Mattick went out on a fly to right.

HIS TIME COMES.

As they say in the war dispatches, Higgy's hour struck in the third. He walked Doane and then put him on third with a weird fling to first. Roche, baffled by the playful May breeze, muffed a foul by Griggs. Given this lease on life, Art scored Doane with a fly that glanced off Willie's paws for a double. At this crucial point Higginbotham was relieved by Kelly, a tough little lefthander. Risberg drove to this same Kelly, who threw to Ward. Ward ran Griggs back to second and then threw to Guisto, nailing Risberg between second and first. Willie claimed that Griggs also was out and waited until Phyle gave him the finger. Great Gus then went into right and Nixon and Speas traded places. Nothing more of pith and moment happened until the fifth.

Griggs walked in this round and was forced by Risberg. Bates scored the Swede with a triple and came home himself on Daley's single, which was so stiff that Vaughn sidestepped.

VAUGHN'S SINGLE.

Vaughn singled with one gone in the sixth, and took third on Guisto's double. Nixon's walk filled the bases. Stump's single and a sacrifice fly by Roche served to tie the score.

Kelly, punctuating his performance with a frequent strikeout, got along all right until the ninth, when Spencer led off with a single. Tub then unharnessed himself to let Rader run for him. Doane's single put Rader on second. Griggs hit Kelly in the stomach with a fly. Kelly didn't seem to mind it and tossed Art out at third, the hands advancing. Bases were full and around until there were two on him. Seeing one of his coming up that he punched it past third and finished what Tub had started, scoring. The score:

PORTLAND.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Wills, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Vaughn, 2b	3	1	1	1	3	0
Guisto, 1b	4	1	2	11	0	0
Nixon, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Stumpf, 3b	4	0	0	1	2	0
Roche, c	4	0	0	4	0	0
Speas, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Ward, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Kelly, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
Tincup, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	2	5	24	9	0

x—Batted for Kelly in ninth.

VERNON.	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Doane, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Gleichmann, 1b	4	0	0	9	0	0
Griggs, 1b	1	0	0	1	0	0
Risberg, 2b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Bates, ss	4	1	1	2	3	0
Daley, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Mattick, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
McGaffigan, 3b	3	0	0	0	2	0
Spencer, c	3	0	0	5	0	0
Decanniere, p	3	1	1	0	2	0
Rader, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	4	5	23	10	0

x—Ran for Spencer in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS

Portland	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2
Base hits	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	5
Vernon	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	x	4
Base hits	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	x	4

SUMMARY.

Three-base hit—Bates. Two-base hits—Guisto, Bates, Daley. Sacrifice hits—Nixon, Stumpf, Roche, Ward. Stolen bases—Vaughn, Guisto, Nixon, Speas, Risberg, Bates, Daley. Double plays—Ward, Guisto; Risberg, Bates, Daley. Bases on balls—Off Kelly, 6; by Decanniere, 1. Struck out—By Decanniere, 1; by Kelly, 1. Bases responsible for—Portland, 4; Vernon, 4. Left on bases—Portland, 7; Vernon, 6. Time of game—1h. 55m. Umpires—Finney and Dashiell.

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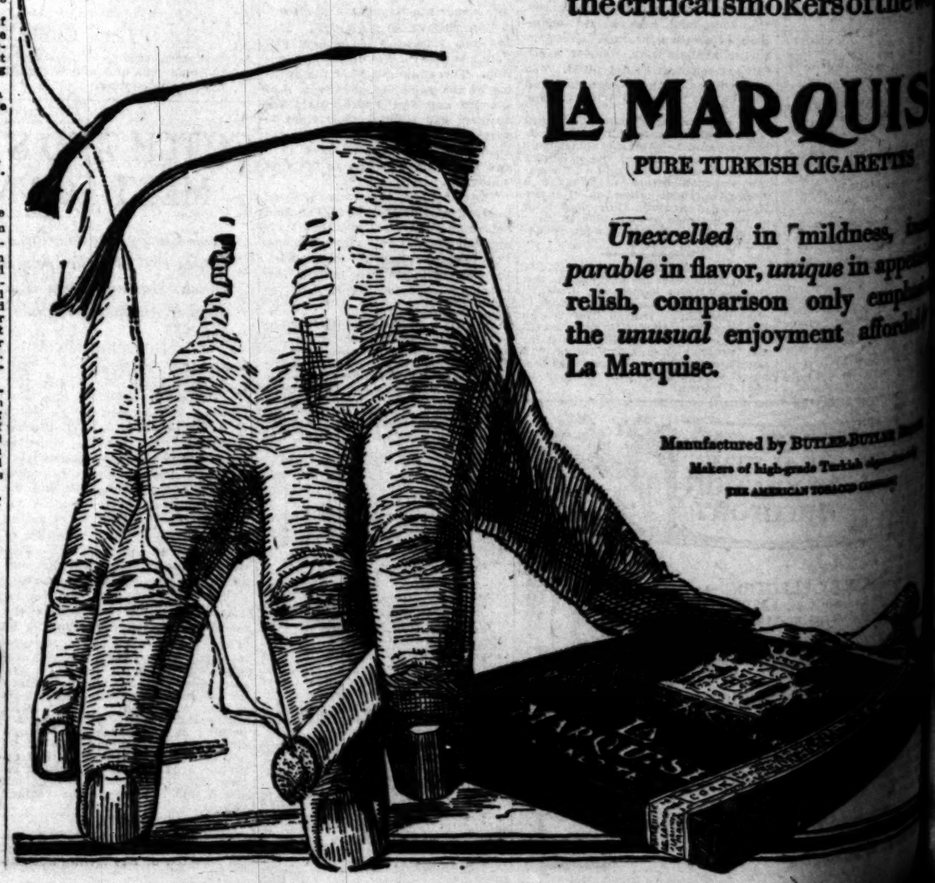

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WEDNESDAY MORNING

Baseball Gossip.

HORSE-DRAWN BUS PASSES.

Ball Players now Motor Out to the Diamond.

Dressing at Hotel is Thing of the Distant Past.

Brick Throwing is Practically Unknown at Present.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

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Many of the oldtimers can trace their first interest in baseball, when as mere urchins they followed the lurching bus as it carried the gaily-caparisoned athletes to or from the ball park. And, who of these would not enjoy again hearing the rumble of the old, rough-riding bus?

OLD STYLE.

Formerly the athletes dressed at the hotel both before and after the game. When they emerged to board the wagon for the trip to the ball park there always was a crowd lining on the curb. It was the same on their return. True, sometimes the bus would be bombarded with brickbats by a hostile population. These little incidents served merely to heighten interest in the game. There are few persons now who would take the trouble to heave a brick at a ball player.

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TIMES CHANGE.

For a crowd to follow a busload of glorious players downtown on the car was not an unusual sight in former days.

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Of course, the horse-drawn bus had to go, but with its going a lot of "color" passed out of baseball. Now, isn't that the truth?

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Have just received an interesting letter from Mrs. Joe Wilhoit. Joe sees the ball playing for the family and turns the letter writing over to Mrs. Joe. Mrs. Joe picks the White Sox to win the American League pennant, which is just like a woman. She says:

"Joe and I have just finished reading your account of the one-round go between Quinlan and Risberg and enjoyed it better than anything since you and Doc White had a fashing. The sporting page of the Times makes us both homesick for Los Angeles.

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PICKS CHICAGO.

"I attend all the Red Sox games during the absence of the Braves, and, of course, I have selected the team which the Boston Braves will have to battle in the world series. My choice is none other than the White-hosed Chicago team. In a recent game it certainly was homelike to see our boys, Zeb Terry and Fred McMullen, 'peppering' around and showing a brilliant game. McMullen went over to a box and plucked a foul right off a lady's hat. Zeb, as usual, made some wonderful plays, and both boys certainly looked good playing alongside of Eddie Collins. Speaking of the White Sox, they are certainly strong for Claude Wil-

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William Nelson, who is a big owner of horses and ships in England whose wife won the Liverpool National a year ago with Troutbeck, has come out with a new plan for the introducing of the pari-mutuel system of betting in the interest of breeder, racing owner and public.

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STANDINGS.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Vernon	30	17	.638	Portland	26	20	.565
S. Francisco	27	21	.563	Salt Lake	24	23	.511
Los Angeles	27	21	.563	Oakland	20	28	.417

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Vernon, 5; Portland, 4.
Oakland, 4; Los Angeles, 3.
San Francisco, 9; Salt Lake, 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Brooklyn	26	9	.743	Chicago	17	17	.500
Philadelphia	21	12	.636	Cincinnati	17	20	.459
Boston	15	12	.556	St. Louis	12	25	.324
New York	15	15	.500	Pittsburgh	12	25	.324

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New York, 4; Cincinnati, 3.
Chicago, 6; Philadelphia, 2.
St. Louis, 2; Boston, 0.
Brooklyn, 6; Pittsburgh, 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Washington	21	11	.656	Detroit	17	17	.500
Cleveland	21	11	.656	Philadelphia	13	17	.433
New York	20	13	.606	St. Louis	12	17	.414
Boston	15	15	.500	Chicago	11	20	.355

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

All games postponed; wet grounds.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Columbus	15	9	.625	Toledo	13	13	.500
Louisville	15	12	.600	Kansas City	12	14	.462
Minneapolis	15	10	.600	St. Paul	9	15	.375
Indianapolis	15	11	.577	Milwaukee	9	15	.375

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Columbus, 6; Indianapolis, 2.
Louisville, 3; Toledo, 0.
Minneapolis, 12; Milwaukee, 5.
Kansas City, 5; St. Paul, 2.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Lincoln	15	10	.600	Omaha	14	11	.560
Des Moines	15	10	.600	Sioux City	13	13	.500
Wichita	16	11	.593	St. Joseph	12	14	.462
Topeka	15	15	.500	Denver	11	14	.440

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

St. Joseph, 5; Lincoln, 2.
Topeka, 2; Sioux City, 1.
Omaha, 3; Denver, 2.
Des Moines, 7; Wichita, 3.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
Spokane	14	11	.560	Seattle	13	13	.500
Butte	12	11	.522	Vancouver	12	13	.480
Great Falls	10	13	.435	Tacoma	10	13	.435

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

Seattle, 5; Spokane, 1.
Vancouver, 15; Tacoma, 3.
Butte, 7; Great Falls, 2.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

	W.	L.	P.C.		W.	L.	P.C.
N. Orleans	28	9	.757	Birmingham	17	20	.459
Nashville	22	11	.667	Little Rock	16	20	.412
Chattanooga	19	16	.514	Mobile	11	23	.324
Atlanta	17	17	.500	Memphis	11	23	.324

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

New Orleans, 2; Memphis, 1.
Chattanooga, 7; Birmingham, 0, (first game.)
Chattanooga, 3; Birmingham, 2 (second game.)
Mobile, 7; Little Rock, 1 (first game.)
Little Rock, 11; Mobile, 1 (second game.)
Atlanta-Nashville game postponed; rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE SHULTE'S HOMER SPELLS DEFEAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, May 23.—Schulte's home run in the fourth inning of today's game, with two men on bases, spelled defeat for Mayer and Philadelphia. Chicago winning 8 to 3. Niehoff's homer in the third accounted for two of the champions' runs. The score:

PHILADELPHIA.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Bruns, 2b	5	1	1	1	1	0
Niehoff, 2b	4	0	1	1	3	0
Stock, ss	4	0	0	1	3	0
Cravath, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Whitted, lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Paskert, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Luderus, 1b	4	0	1	11	1	0
Mayer, p	4	0	0	1	2	0
McQuillen, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Chalmers, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dugey, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Killifer, xx	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	1	5	24	11	0

x—Batted for Ledgrus in ninth.
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CHICAGO.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Schulte, rf	5	1	1	1	0	0
Flack, cf	4	2	1	3	0	0
Williams, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0
Fluhrmann, 2b	4	1	2	2	3	0
Saier, 1b	3	1	2	10	2	0
McCarthy, 2b	4	1	1	2	2	0
Fischer, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0
Mulligan, ss	4	1	0	3	2	0
Vaughn, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	32	9	9	13	27	10	0

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Philadelphia	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0 — 1
Chicago	1	0	0	4	2	1	0	0	— 8

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Paskert, Williams, Fischer, Flack, Saier. Home runs—Niehoff, Schulte. Stolen bases—Paskert. Sacrifice hits—Flack, 2; Mulligan. Double plays—Bruns to Byrne; Saier to Mulligan; Mulligan to Saier. Bases on balls—Off Mayer, 2; off McQuillen, 1; off Chalmers, 1; off Vaughn, 2. Hits and earned runs—Off Mayer, 7 hits, 5 runs in 3 1-3 innings; off Vaughn, 10 and 2 to 9; off McQuillen, 4 and 2 in 2-3, none out in fifth; off Chalmers, 2 and none in 4. Struck out—By Mayer, 1; by Chalmers, 4; by Vaughn, 5. Umpires—Klem and Emslie.

NEW YORK TAKES TWELFTH STRAIGHT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CINCINNATI (O.) May 23.—New York won its twelfth straight game, defeating Cincinnati today 4 to 3. Benton pitched good ball up to the eighth. Cincinnati scored one in this round and in the ninth after Killifer was out, Herzog, Clarke and Louden singled. Herzog scoring. Benton was then taken out and Tesreau sent to the mound. Wingo singled and Emmer, who was running for Clarke, scored. Mathewson was called upon to save the day and he succeeded. New York made a run in the third when Benton scored on an error. In the seventh Merkle and McKechnie singled and both scored on Benton's single. Rariden, who reached first on Chase's error, scored on Burns's single. The score:

NEW YORK.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Burns, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Robertson, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Doyle, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Kauff, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Fletcher, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Merkle, 1b	4	1	2	13	0	0
McKechnie, 3b	4	1	1	1	0	0
Rariden, c	4	1	1	4	1	0
Benton, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Tierney, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathewson, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	4	6	27	8	0

CINCINNATI.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Groh, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Neale, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Mitchell, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Chase, 1b	4	0	0	11	0	0
Griffith, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Killifer, ss	4	0	0	2	3	0
Howard, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	0
Wingo, c	4	1	1	4	0	0
Clarke, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Louden, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Schneider, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rixey, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Kluszewski, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Mollwitz, xxx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Emmer, xxxx	1	1	0	0	0	0
Winde, xxxxx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	10	27	14	0

x—Batted for Schneider in eighth.
xx—Batted for Neale in eighth.
xxx—Batted for Clarke in ninth.
xxxx—Batted for Rixey in ninth.
xxxxx—Batted for Kluszewski in ninth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
New York	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0 — 4
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0 — 3

SUMMARY.

Sacrifice hits—Burns, Herzog, Groh. Stolen bases—Robertson, Doyle, Louden to Herzog to Chase; Fletcher to Merkle. Double plays—Louden to Howard; Fletcher to Merkle. Left on bases—New York, 7; Cincinnati, 7. Bases on balls—Off Louden, 1; off Rixey, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Louden, 7 and 3 in 5 1-3 innings; off Rixey, 3 and none in 3 1-3 innings; off Schneider, 1 and none in no innings; none out in fifth off Mathewson, none and none in 2-3; off Schneider, 2 and 1 in 2; off Knetzer, 1 and none in 1. Hit by pitcher—Fletcher by Schneider. Struck out—By Louden, 1. Umpires—O'Day and Eason.

BROOKLYN SHUTS OUT PITTSBURGH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH, May 23.—Brooklyn shut out Pittsburgh here today 6 to 0. Kentlehner was hit hard in the first two innings and in the fifth was compelled to give way to Miller after Daubert's hit had disabled his pitching hand.

BROOKLYN.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Myers, cf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Daubert, 1b	3	0	1	8	0	0
Johnston, rf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Wheat, lf	4	1	1	1	0	0
Mowrey, 2b	3	0	0	1	3	0
Smith, ss	4	0	0	0	3	0
Cutshaw, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
O'Mara, c	3	1	1	5	0	0
Pfeffer, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	35	4	7	27	10	0

PITTSBURGH.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Carey, cf	4	0	1	2	0	0
W. Johnston, 1b	3	0	0	11	1	0
Wagner, ss	4	0	0	1	4	0
Hinchman, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Schmidt, 3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Nunamaker, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0
Kelly, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Gibson, c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Schultz, c	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kantlehner, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Miller, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Costello, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Jacobs, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Yaryan, xx	1	0	0	0	0	0
Adams, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	0	2	27	10	0

x—Batted for Miller in sixth.
xx—Batted for Jacobs in eighth.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Brooklyn	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	0	0 — 6
Pittsburgh	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0 — 0

SUMMARY.

Two-base hit—Wheat. Three-base hit—Myers. Stolen bases—Myers, 2, Johnston, Cutshaw. Sacrifice hits—Wheat, Pfeffer. Sacrifice fly—Daubert. Double plays—Johnston to Daubert; Carey to W. Johnston. First base on balls—Off Pfeffer, 1; off Kantlehner, 1; off Adams, 1. Hits and earned runs—Off Pfeffer, 2 hits, no runs in 5 innings; off Kantlehner, 5 and 3 in 4 1-3; off Miller, none and none in 1 2-3; off Jacobs, 1 and 1 in 2; off Adams, 3 and 2 in 1. Struck out—By Pfeffer, 2; by Kantlehner, 1; by Adams, 1. Umpires—Quigley and Byron.

ST. LOUIS BREAKS LOSING STREAK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, May 23.—St. Louis broke its losing streak by defeating Boston today 2 to 0. St. Louis got a run in the second, when Hornsby singled, stole second and scored on Miller's single. Hornsby also scored for the locals in the fifth, when he hit over Snodgrass's head for a home run. The score:

BOSTON.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Maranville, ss	3	0	0	2	3	0
Evers, 2b	4	0	0	3	2	0
Collins, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Fitzpatrick, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Konetchy, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
J. C. Smith, 3b	4	0	0	1	1	0
Gowdy, c	4	0	1	7	0	0
Ragon, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Rudolph, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, x	1	0	0	0	0	0
Southworth, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	0	2	24	6	0

x—Batted for Ragon in seventh.

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TIA JUANA RESULTS

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, May 23.—First race—Selling, six furlongs: Cuyama, 105 (Alt) first; Pamona, 98 (Nolan) second; Gordon Roberts, 107 (Pool) third. Time, 1:14 2-5.

Second race—Selling, six furlongs: Handy Andy, 101 (McGraw) first; Jennie Small, 91 (Troise) second; Quiz, 99 (Thurber) third. Time, 1:14 2-5.

Third race—Selling, five and one-half furlongs: Orimar Lad, 108 (N. Taylor) first; Sallie O'Day, 111 (Cavanaugh) second; General, 112 (Roberts) third. Time, 1:07 2-5.

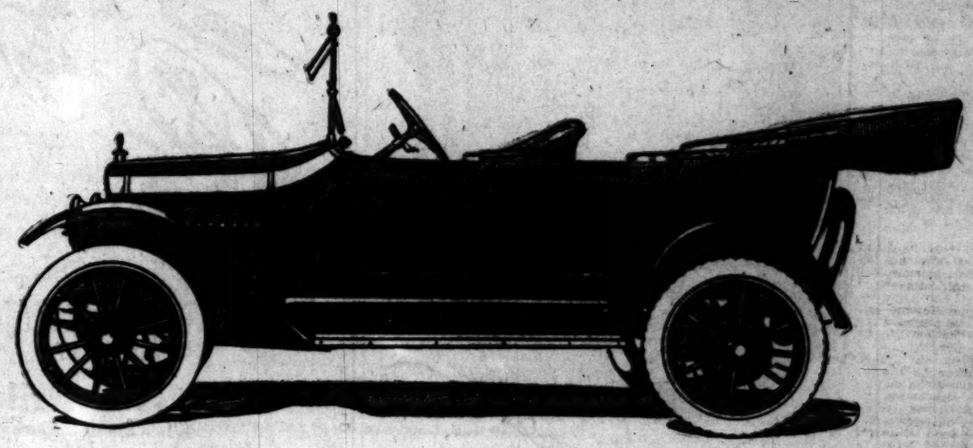
Fourth race—Selling, seven furlongs: Ambri, 110 (O'Brien) first; Sweetdale, 112 (Pauley) second; Gano, 109 (Gross) third. Time, 1:27.

Fifth race—Selling, one mile: Decency, 101 (Nolan) first; Downland, 103 (O'Brien) second; Pro Realia, 116 (Pauley) third. Time, 1:41.

Sixth race—Selling, one and one-sixteenth miles: Engraver, 109 (Phillips) first; Augustus Heinze, 113 (Pool) second; Cordie F., 108 (N. Taylor) third. Time 1:47.

Dwight Douglass, a professional tennis player, is coaching the varsity team and instructing undergraduates in lawn tennis playing at Williams University. His course includes lectures on tactics and development of strokes, as well as court demonstrations.

Students of the University of Vermont are laying out a new athletic field at the Burlington institution. About $50 are engaging in the work. The field, when completed, will include a baseball diamond, football gridiron and a good-sized track.



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Geraldine Farrar,

World-famous operatic singer, whose latest photoplay feature, "Maria Rosa," is showing at the Woodley Theater this week; Claribel Burnham (above, left,) one of the girls in "Girls" at the Burbank.

RIALTO.

Joy Dope.

SHOWLAND PATTER.

WHAT FOOTLIGHT AND FILM FASCINATORS ARE DOING.

By Grace Kingsley.

Earl Carroll and Al Matthews have hastily been recalled to New York on some mysterious mission. There is a rumor that as he has two winning shows, "So Long Letty" and "Canary Cottage" to his credit, Carroll is going to write the music for a new musical comedy to be produced in New York this season.

Calamity Note.

"Tidbits," Trixie Friganza's dog, in "Canary Cottage" has a nightly battle with the head on Trixie's fox fur. Every time she dons the fur and the dog to go on the stage, "Tidbits" scents an ancient enemy, and last night he nearly got the best of him.

As the fur cost a few dollars less than the dog, the odds are being placed on "Tidbits."

Louise is Retiring.

Louise Orth, now that fame has knocked at her door, isn't going to act as an ad. for "Canary Cottage" any more. She has had her name painted out on her yellow automobile and the canary cage on the hood replaced with an eagle of victory.

Shakespeare May Repeat.

"Julius Caesar," as given by the notable cast which produced the big open-air spectacle at Beachwood Canyon last Friday night, may be repeated, so great was the success of the production and so great is the clamor of the thousands who were disappointed in obtaining admission. Director Raymond Wells and the Hollywood Board of Trade, who had the spectacle in charge, are seriously considering a second performance early in June.

Next Gloom Chaser.

"Officer 666" is billed for the Burbank next week.

Just Too Sweet!

Manager Will Wyatt's artistic soul has whispered to him that the installation of a chorus of caged canaries in the Mason lobby would be a pretty idea. Earl Carroll is already writing something for the birds. Mufflers will be used on the songsters during the more touching scenes of "Canary Cottage."

Prison Reform Note.

Charles Clary is playing a leading role in a new Fox picture just being filmed by Raoul Walsh, entitled "The Honor System." San Quentin Prison and prisoners figure in some of the scenes.

Cummings Comes.

Charles Ellsworth Cummings, who has been playing an important part in "The Pearl of Paradise," which is being produced by the Harry Pollard company, returned from San Diego yesterday. Mr. Cummings was formerly with the American Film Company in Santa Barbara.

Thought It Phoney.

Ever since somebody handed Sturat Holmes, the villain in so many Fox photoplays, a loaded cigar, he is so suspicious of everything that when a friend handed him a $5 bill in repayment of a loan, he looked it over very carefully and asked:

"But—what is the matter with it?"

"Them Nutty Sundays."

"Why do all these soda water shooters look so thoughtful?" Harry Mestayer inquired of Winifred Bryson, the other day, as they walked into a lady-bar to refresh themselves after rehearsal.

"They're just racking their brains to think up new and odd names for their weird concoctions this summer,' replied Miss Bryson.

Acidulous Andy.

The audience failed to "get" Stella Mayhew yesterday entirely, when she sang "That Devilin Tune," and she came off the stage as much ruffled as this very good humored lady ever gets.

"Guess I'll give 'em the doxology tonight," she declared, "wouldn't you?"

Andy Rice stood near. "Oh, no," advised Andy, "just sing 'I Love You California,' and let them join in the chorus, and they'll be perfectly happy."

Some Show.

Cleo Madison, of the Universal, has been selected as one of the contestants in the Automobile Fashion Show to be held in connection with Actors' Fund Day festivities at Ascot Speedway, on Memorial Day.

Festivities will begin sharp at 2 o'clock in the afternoon with a ten-mile automobile race for the film charmpionship. This will be followed by several comedy events, in which the Keystone cops, the Vogue comedians and other laugh makers will participate. There will also be motorcycle and bicycle races.

Great interest is being evinced in the Automobile Fashion Show which follows the earlier pro-Wells, all the actors, and in fact film stars are entered in this brilliant pageant which will pass before the grand stand and receive awards according to the amount of applause.

Miss Madison has purchased a Cole roadster of the very latest mode, which will be delivered to her in time for the big event.

Echoes of Beachwood.

The Hollywood Carnival Association is in receipt of a letter from Marc Klaw, highly complimenting said carnival association, Raymond Wells, all the actors, and in fact everybody connected with the "Julius Caesar" production on its success. Which is some compliment.

Temperament Will Temp.

Blanche Ring will soon have a reputation for temperament equaling that of Fritzi Scheff and Mme. Calve. She has quit the cast of "Step Lively, Please," the new Fields show, because the role did not please her.

Star Dust.

Elsie Janis and Sam Bernard are to appear in Charles Dillingham's Century show next season.

Marjorie's New Play.

Frankyn Underwood, who staged 'Sadie Love' and played the role of Jimmie in that piece, for Manager Morosco, is to act as stage director in the production of Max Marcin's new play, "Cheating Cheaters,' which A. H. Woods is to put on in New York this summer. Marjorie Rambeau will play the leading role.

ROWLAND NOT TO GET HOOK.

[DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—"The White Sox have not played the right kind of baseball and that is the reason why they are in last place," was President Comiskey's verdict today in discussing the slump of the Hose.

"Manager Rowland could not be charged with the individual failures. When .300 hitters bat .200 and perfect fielders throw the ball to the four winds, it is not the fault of the manager. The team simply has got into a slump, but I am firmly convinced that they soon will get out of the ruck.

"As for Rowland himself, he is still manager and will continue as such. I have not had under consideration his displacement and he will continue as manager of the White Sox."

GOOD FISHING AT BIG BEAR.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BIG BEAR VALLEY, May 23.—The fishing in the lake here has been better for several days than it was and the stream fishing nearby has been the best of the season. George Armstrong of Los Angeles, and Stanley Mussell of San Bernardino, fished in Bear Creek, between Slide Lake and the dam and had no trouble in getting the limit.

The Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Kirkpatrick of Redlands and E. B. Patterson have left the valley after staying for more than a week at the cabin of Mr. Patterson. They had several good days fishing, although they were forced to take fisherman's luck with light creels part of the time.

C. J. Tripp, Thomas Younghusband, Allen Wheaton and T. M. Gibson had good luck. The motorists coming to the valley say that the Crest road is in good condition for early in the season.

AILEEN ALLEN MAY BE CHAMP.

Aileen Allen has at last her chance. She can become the woman champion diver of the United States without ever leaving this city. The diving and backstroke championships have been given to this city. The diving will probably be held some time in July and as near July 4 as possible. The women's 100-yard championships will be held in San Francisco that day and every arrangement is being made so that the eastern swimmers can take in all the events.

Between now and July Aileen Allen will practice on the spring board constantly. She comes near living in the water now, but her hours in the tank will be more seriously spent. It will be all work and no play.

Practically everybody who poses as an expert on swimming and has seen Aileen Allen dive believes that she will win without any serious trouble.

Philadelphia and Providence are among the cities represented in the recently-formed Interclub Billiard League. The object of the league will be to promote interest in billiards between members of clubs in New York and vicinity. Membership will be limited to fifteen clubs and there will be no dues of any kind. A game will be played each week by each club throughout the season. Games will be played on the handicap plan. A cup will be given the winner.

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[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

INDIANAPOLIS, May 23.—Gil Anderson, appearing for the first time on the local speedway track this year in his brand new Premier race car, gave the railbirds a thrill this afternoon. After a few trips around the oval, he was putting on a fast lap when a skid in a spot of oil and a loose right rear wheel turned his car completely around twice and ground down his front hub cap against the concrete retaining wall. With his usual skill Gil avoided a serious accident.

Headed by Jules Devigne, the De Lage racing team put in its appearance today. Immediately on arrival the drivers and mechanicians got busy getting the cars in shape. No practice was indulged in by the team and it will be late tomorrow afternoon before they will be ready to take to the course, according to Devigne, who finished second to Rickenbacher in the Metropolitan Cup race in New York recently.

GIBSON AFTER FINISH FIGHT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Willie Ritchie, former world's champion lightweight boxer, received a telegram today from Billy Gibson asking for Ritchie's lowest terms for a finish fight in July in Buenos Aires with Ted Lewis, who won a shade from Mike Gibbons last week in New York.

"I wired terms at once," said Ritchie, "and expect to hear from Gibson soon. Until then I will be unable to say much about the South American fight. I would like to go there and am willing to meet any of them. I will be busy for the rest of the summer, for I leave Chicago Thursday for Portland, Or., where I will box an exhibition with a Portland boy. Then I will come back to Chicago to talk Ever Hammer with Tommy Andrews and other Wisconsin promoters who want to match me with Kid Howard's protege."

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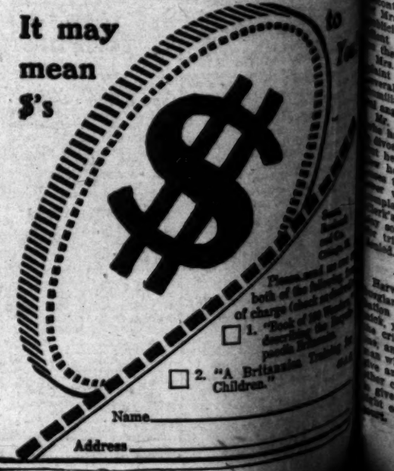

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The discussion arose when the Council considered reports from the Preparedness Parade Committee and the July Fourth Committee, suggesting that the two events be consolidated on Independence Day, and that the Council make the appropriation of $2500, as requested by the Fourth Committee. Mr. Wheeler emphatically denounced the popular cry of preparedness and asserted that, instead of more battleships and other military training, the country should begin with the children and educate them to a desire for peace. Councilman Conwell said that he could express only sorrow that Mr. Wheeler had seen fit to take a stand which he characterized as wholly illogical.

"Where is there any idea of protection in the arguments advanced by Mr. Wheeler?" asked Councilman Conwell. "While we are educating our children in a desire for peace, a few thousand Japs could land on the Pacific Coast and with a few blasts of dynamite, the water supply of Los Angeles would be cut off. A few more blasts and the transcontinental railroad communication would be closed to Southern California, and peace lectures to the school children would be supplanted by funeral orations."

Mrs. Lindsey made an impassioned plea for preparedness, saying that [illegible] the man who fights for his home and country loses but one life, [illegible] woman left at home dies a thousand deaths.

[illegible] am for the sort of preparedness that will give the man who [illegible] for me a sporting chance for [illegible]" said Councilwoman Lindsey. "I stand for the preparedness that will not send our defenders to be murdered through lack of training and equipment. Belgium was [illegible] peace, and the world has witnessed what happened to the peaceloving citizens of Belgium."

The question of an appropriation for the preparedness demonstration on the July 4 celebration was left with the Council. Finance Committee after Dr. A. D. Houghton informed the Council officially that the two committees proposed to work together. In the meantime, the Council wants assurance that the committees do not propose to use the appropriation to provide fancy retainers for patriotic orators at $500 an oration, as was done at a former celebration.

Her Prerogative.

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In less than twenty-four hours [illegible] Ben S. Hunter caused to be filed and abandoned a divorce suit against her husband, Ben S. Hunter, prominent attorney and former partner of Judge Hutton. She so quickly regretted her action in bringing the suit that it had hardly been filed before she gave instructions for it to be dismissed. She based on the ground of alleged mental cruelty.

A peculiar circumstance is that [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. Hunter are ill, [illegible] they are not together. Mrs. Hunter is staying with a friend at [illegible] Madre, and it was asserted at the offices of her attorneys, Anderson & Anderson, that they do not have her address there.

Mr. Hunter is in a hospital, but will not be disturbed for several days, it was stated at his office yesterday.

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J. A. Anderson said he must speak with Mrs. Hunter and have the instructions direct from her. The friend said Mrs. Hunter was ill, but she would have her talk over the telephone. This was done, and at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon Mr. Anderson sent a clerk to the courthouse to discontinue the case. At the request of Mrs. Hunter he asked that no publicity be given the matter, as his client desired to have nothing said on the subject.

Mrs. Hunter alleged in the complaint that her husband's acts on several occasions caused her to be humiliated and inflicted on her mental anguish.

Mr. Hunter is the third attorney who has been made a defendant in divorce action within a short time. In one of these three he was only a defendant for a few hours. In one of these three [illegible] the attorney filed a brief answer within three hours after the complaint was laid on the County Clerk's counter, and the following day sought to have the suit called [illegible] trial out of turn, but he was refused.

GETS PROBATION.

Harvey Karle, who pleaded to [illegible] burglary, was given three years' probation by Superior Judge McCormick yesterday. It was shown that [illegible] crime was not an aggravated one, and that the defendant was a [illegible] whom the court could afford to give another chance. A number of [illegible] criminal cases were continued [illegible] the Bitten perjury trial the [illegible] of way in Judge McCormick's [illegible]

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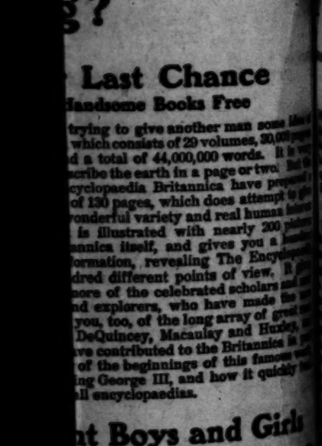

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New Officers Chamber's Past Directors' Association.

Organize for service to big commercial body.

They are, seated, left to right, Fred L. Alles, secretary, and J. O. Koepfli, vice-president; standing, Louis M. Cole and Dr. Norman Bridge, directors; Maj. E. W. Jones, president, and W. J. Washburn, a director.

Organize.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE PAST DIRECTORS ELECT.

THE recently-formed Past Directors' Association of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce held its first official meeting yesterday afternoon in the directors' room of the chamber and elected officers for the ensuing year. Twenty-eight of the surviving officers of the chamber attended the meeting, or about half the number of men enrolled on the archives. According to Secretary Wiggins, the half not present were either out of town or were detained by urgent business. In each instance, however, the absent members had signified their intention of heartily supporting the new organization.

Louis M. Cole, president of the chamber in 1914, acted as temporary chairman at the opening of the meeting. He read the tentative by-laws, and explained the aims and objects of the new organization. These bylaws were adopted.

Nominations for president were then in order, and Robert N. Bulla nominated Maj. E. W. Jones, the first and oldest living president of the Chamber of Commerce, declaring that as the organization was essentially for the former officers, no higher honor could be bestowed more appropriately than by electing Maj. Jones. The nominations were immediately declared closed, and Maj. Jones was elected unanimously.

Unfortunately, the new president of the Past Directors' Association was not present. Ex-Mayor Workman stated he had recently met Maj. Jones in New York City, where he now is, and declared him to be in excellent health.

J. O. Koepfli, president of the chamber in 1905, was then unanimously elected vice-president; H. S. McKee, president in 1904, was elected treasurer, and Fred L. Alles secretary. The directors elected were W. J. Washburn, president of the chamber in 1906; Louis M. Cole, president in 1914, and Dr. Norman Bridge.

At the close of the balloting Mr. Koepfli assumed the chair and delivered a short address, expressing his regret for the absence of Maj. Jones.

It is the plan of the organization to hold regular meetings alone as well as with the present board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce. Each year they will enjoy banquet, and so conduct their work as to aid the work of the chamber.

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Enough.

ANNULS MARRIAGE.

Santa Ana Court Rules Out Question of Force, and Dissolves Tie Upon Evidence that Mrs. Hunter Already had a Husband.

Few of the sensational accusations that had been made in connection with the suit brought by Mrs. Vena Mae Hunter of Pasadena to annul her marriage to Ilija Densher of this city, found lodgment in Judge W. H. Thomas's courtroom at Santa Ana yesterday, when the case was up for trial. The judge ruled out all reference to alleged gun plays, threats to slay, love letters and infatuation. He said that only one question was at issue, was Mrs. Hunter the wife of another man when she married Densher in Santa Ana on November 22, 1915? The evidence showed she was and the decree annulling the marriage was granted.

In her complaint, Mrs. Hunter alleged she married Densher because he threatened to kill her and her husband, John S. Hunter, unless she did. By displaying a revolver, she said, Densher persuaded her to come to Santa Ana and be married to him.

In his answer, Densher declared the girl had represented to him that she was single, and that the wedding was as agreeable to her as to him. He was ready to produce letters to substantiate his contention.

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Coy Maid Who Fears Horried Hill-street Tunnel Leads Courteous Charles Graskus into a Trap. Loses Money and Diamond.

Gallantry cost Charles Graskus, No. 126 North Hill street, all his money and a small diamond ring yesterday. At Temple and Hill streets, while on his way home, he met a woman, blonde, young, coy.

"Is this the Hill-street tunnel, please, sir," she said, addressing Mr. Graskus.

Mr. Graskus tipped his hat and said it was.

Then she told him it was a horrid tunnel for she had to climb, ay on top of it to visit a dear friend.

Mr. Graskus suggested he too had to climb the hill, his domicile being perched aloft.

She smiled; he volunteered to accompany her; she accepted. They went away arm in arm.

While mounting the steps, with both about out of breath, Mr. Graskus was stopped by a rough shove. He turned and faced two men. They accused Mr. Graskus of trying to run away with another man's wife. Mr. Graskus protested his lack of design.

While arguing, the strangers search him. They took $35 from his pockets and a $50 pin from his scarf. Then the woman ran away, and the men followed.

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(Ribbons; Main Floor)

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(Hosiery; Main Floor)

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(Handkerchiefs; Main Floor)

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Plain top style; regularly 15c 10c

Nursing Vests—at 35c, 50c and three for 50c. 60c

Union Suits—for women; Globe brand; extra size; fine mercerized; low neck, no sleeves, ankle; reg. $1.25 and $1.75, $1.00 and $1.35. 75c

Medium weight, in all sizes, low neck, no or short sleeves, knee; high or Dutch neck, elbow sleeves; reg. 75c and $1, now 60c and 85c.

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High neck, long sleeves, ankle; sizes 4 and 44; regularly 75c and $1 .....60c and 75c $1

(Knitwear; South Aisle)

All Wool Jersey Cloth for Outing Garments $3.00 a Yard

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(Dress Goods; Broadway Annex)

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(Silks; Broadway Annex)

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And many mothers put off babies' shopping until Wednesday, in order to profit by the many savings to be made then.

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Skirts—hand made; with waists; lace edged and ruffled; sizes 6 months, 1, 2 and 3 years; were $2.50, now 95c

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(Infants' Wear; Second Floor)

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(Sweaters; Second Floor)

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Stocks and Bonds.

COAL ROAD SECURITIES AGAIN MAKE NEW RECORDS

Reading and Similar Groups are Most in Demand. General Motors Gained up to Fifty-five Points—Mexicans and Smelting are also Strong, but War Issues as a Whole Drop Off.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Speculation ran largely to the railway list with a new high record for Reading and best prices of a year or more for other issues of the same class.

Recognized war contract shares were lower by a point or two. Most of the active session and shipping stocks were similarly affected, likewise the so-called distilling issues.

Mexicans were restored to speculative factors. Mexican Petroleum gained more than two points, with almost three for American Smelting. Coppers as a group continued backward, however, and the zinc issues shaded after some early strength.

Automobile shares were the spectacular features, General Motors advancing 55 points to 515 with 5% for Studebaker, while Willys-Overland on its 8¼ point gain to 276½ and Chandler Motors 3¼ rise to 160¼ constituted new records.

Reading's gyrations were the cause of much unsettlement among standard stocks, following its early rise to the new maximum of 110¾, a point over its previous record. Before noon, Reading fell back almost 3 points, recovering about 2 points, and after much irregularity, closed at 108¾, almost a point off for the day. Its contribution to the total was again out of all proportion, amounting to about 130,000 shares, or 15 per cent.

Other dividend paying rails, including Union Pacific, St. Paul, Atchison, Baltimore & Ohio, Louisville & Nashville, Atlantic Coast line and Illinois Central, were higher by 1 to 2 points at their best, but succumbed to steady profit taking and short selling in the afternoon.

United States Steel seemed to be singled out by the short interest, at no time keeping pace with other favorites. Bethlehem Steel also was heavy on limited dealings.

Total sales of stocks amounted to 840,000 shares.

Incidents bearing upon the stock market included Southern Pacific's April statement, showing a net gain of $1,408,000 and an additional gold import from Canada.

The bond market was firm, but without feature. Total sales, par value, $4,850,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call.

STOCK SALES COMPARED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 23.—Following is comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, May 23, 1916	$ 4,850,000
Same day of week last year	1,947,000
From January 3 to date	440,360,000
Same period in 1915	222,257,000

COMPARISON OF STOCK SALES.

Total sales, May 23, 1916	839,310 shares
Same day of week last year	200,500 shares
From January 3 to date	75,858,757 shares
Same period in 1915	51,660,476 shares

STOCK QUOTATIONS IN NEW YORK.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, May 23.—Following were the closing prices, sales, and high and low quotations today:

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Bid.	Asked.
7,300	Alaska	22¾	22¼	22½	22¾
3,000	Atlantic G. L.	114	113½	113½	113¾
8,000	Allis-Chalmers	32¾	32	32	32¼
100	Do. Pfd.	93	93	92½	93
	Am. Agricultural			68	
	Am. Beet Sugar			45	
	Am. Can			47	
	Am. Can. Pfd.			111	
	Am. Car & Fdy.	61	61	60½	61
	Do. Pfd.			111½	
	Am. Cotton Oil	55¾	55¾	55	55½
	Do. Pfd.			98	
	Am. Ice Securities			34	
	Am. Linseed			39	
	Am. Locomotive	72¾	72¾	72	72½
	Do. Pfd.			111	
	Am. Smelting	74¾	73¾	74¼	74½
	Am. Sugar			117¾	
	Am. Tel. & Tel.			117	
	Am. Tobacco			257	
	Am. Woolen			45	
	Anaconda			43	
	Atchison			108	
	Do. Pfd.			93	
	Atlantic Coast Line			119½	
	Baldwin Locomotive	94½	94	94	94½
	Balt. & Ohio	84½	83¾	84	84½
	Do. Pfd.			82	
	Brooklyn R. T.	85¾	85¼	85¼	85½
	Butte & Sup.			27	
	Cal. Petrol. Co.	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾
	Do. Pfd.			25	
	Can. Pacific	162¾	160¾	161¾	162
	Central Leather	64¾	64	64	64¼
	Do. Pfd.			104	
	Central R. R. of N. J.			206	
	Chicago & Alton	48¾	48	48	48¼
	Chi. & G. W.	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
	Chi. & N. W.	107¾	107¼	107¼	107½
	Chi. R. I. & P.	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
	Chi. R. I. & P. Pfd.			41	
	Chi. Great Western	10¾	10¾	10¾	10¾
	Chi. Great Western Pfd.			45	
	Chi. Mil. & St. P.	97¾	96¾	97¼	97¾
	Chi. Mil. & St. P. Pfd.			118	
	Chi. & Northwestern	104¾	104	104	104¼
	Chino Copper	46¾	45¾	46	46¼
	Colorado Fuel & Iron	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
	Colorado & Southern	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
	Corn Products	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
	Do. Pfd.			97	
	Crucible Steel	67	66¾	66¾	67
	Cuba Cane Sugar			24	
	Cuba Cane Sugar Pfd.			102	
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CLOSING PRICES ON SALT LAKE EXCHANGE

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Van Nuys Bldg., Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, May 23.—Closing quotations:

Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Alta Con.	.06	.07
Alta Tiger	3¼	3½
Alice	.17	.18
Alice Rexall	....	....
A. C. Cop.	.20	.21
Bingham Mac.	....	....
Black Jack	.02	.03
Bonanza	.12	....
Cardiff	....	.940
Carisa	.11	.11½
Colorado	.21	.21½
Con. Ex.	.10	.11
Con. Mer.	....	....
Crown	....	....
Daly	....	....
Daly Judge	....	....
Daisyfield	....	....
Dragon Con.	.23½	.24
Eagle Eagle	.22	.23
Ex. Franco.	.1¼	.1¾
Eight & Nine	....	....
Emma	.210	.220
Emma Nev.	....	....
Emma Cop.	.60	.65
Gold Chain	....	....
G. Chain	.90	....
Hanauer	....	....
Hecla Con.	....	....
Iron Blossom	....	....
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The Public Service.

At the Courthouse.

CLAIMS PROPERTY VALUED TOO LOW.

WANTS SALE OF COMMUNITY INTEREST RESCINDED.

Settlement After Divorce Made Through Misrepresentation, Former Wife Alleges in Suit to Have Agreement Set Aside and Division on a New Appraisement.

A property settlement and an alleged discovery of misrepresentation are related in a suit filed yesterday by Mrs. Elmira B. Johnson against William E. Johnson, her ex-husband, for a recision of the agreement, an accounting and her half interest in the estate. The complaint states that the community property of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson comprised seventy-five acres in Illinois, sixty acres in Georgia, and a lot in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Johnson alleges that some of her money was used in the acquisition of the land. July 1, 1913, the couple were divorced in the Los Angeles courts. It was agreed in a property settlement to divide the property, Mrs. Johnson releasing her right, title and interest in one-half and delivering a quit-claim deed. She received $5200 in cash and promissory notes, secured by mortgages, worth $2400.

At the time of the settlement, she alleges, the value of the entire holdings of the couple was put in at $16,000. It is now claimed that it has a value of $46,000, and Mrs. Johnson alleges that it was falsely represented to be worth only $16,000. This alleged discovery was made March 1, 1915, but Mrs. Johnson says she did not know until a year later that she could rescind the agreement and sue for the full value of her half interest.

SEEKS DIVORCE.
LEADER IN SOCIETY.

Mrs. Lulu Steinhauer, wealthy business woman and society matron of Eighth and Berendo streets, has filed suit for divorce, through her attorney, Willis I. Morrison, asking separation on the grounds of desertion. Karl Steinhauer, the husband, will remain associated with his wife in business ventures. The divorce suit, if successful, will mean the third time that Mrs. Steinhauer has been bereft of a husband, once by death and one other time through the divorce courts. Married while quite young to R. L. Wupperman, a San Antonio banker, she later secured a divorce. In Denver she met and married F. L. Smith, wealthy divorcee. On the death of Smith the estate was settled by Attorney Karl Steinhauer, who later married the widow. Mrs. Steinhauer has four children, born of the first marriage. Mrs. Steinhauer is a heavy investor in the Mortgage Guarantee Company and is associated with her husband in that business. Mr. Steinhauer is in charge of the Centinela Land Company, and other realty ventures.

WEEPS BUT WINS.
DECREE FOR CRUELTY.

Although she cried when the memory of her alleged wrongs overcame her, Mrs. Flora L. Murray, who married when she was very young a man much older than herself, had no opposition in the divorce court yesterday and was granted a decree on the cross-complaint.

The suit was brought by Joseph A. Murray, but when the case was called his attorney stated that the allegations of flirting would be withdrawn, and testimony was taken on the cross-complaint. The charge by the wife was cruelty against Mr. Murray and his son and daughter by a former marriage. Her own two sons will remain with their father. Mrs. Murray agreeing to this. She is employed by a moving-picture company.

READY FOR JURY.
WIDOW ASKS DAMAGES.

Claiming that the Pacific Electric car which struck and killed her husband, James McAdams, a real estate dealer, at Colorado and Chester avenues, Pasadena, May 6, 1915, was running at high speed and that no warning signal was given, Mrs. Mary Ann McAdams brought suit for $50,000 damages. The suit was tried by a jury in Judge Willis's court yesterday. The jury will be instructed this morning.

The Pacific Electric set up that Mr. McAdams, who was driving an automobile, was negligent; that he drove upon the tracks and neither looked nor listened. Joined in the suit as plaintiffs were the couple's children, Pearl and Edith.

MUST LEAVE TOWN.
DIDN'T FIND TOMPKINS.

William Smith, 19 years old, when detected prying the lock off an automobile at No. 115 South Broadway, with the view of driving away with the machine, explained that the car belonged to a friend named Tompkins, who was intoxicated, and whom he wanted to take home.

The same story was told to Judge Reeve of the Juvenile Court yesterday, but it appeared that no one of the name of Tompkins owns a machine of the make Smith was tampering with. The court gave him a suspended sentence of two years at Jone. He must seek employment outside of Los Angeles.

IN AND OUT.
ABOUT THE COURTS.

DAMAGES FOR WIFE. Charles Earl, who alleges that he lost his wife through the enticements of W. S. Skeel October 20, 1912, filed suit for alienation of affections yesterday, asking $10,000 damages. The complaint recites that Mr. Skeel has harbored Mrs. Earl since that date.

ANXIOUS INQUIRY. A letter received by Judge Willis yesterday from Fort Wayne, Ind., makes anxious inquiries of Joseph Shelley, who is said to have lived in California for many years. The writer, Mrs. Sarah Shelley McGuown of Brooklyn avenue, Fort Wayne, asks the judge if he can give her any information about Mr. Shelley's whereabouts.

COURT'S MEMORY. "Where were you married?" Judge Monroe yesterday asked Mrs. Cora A. Hubbard, who had brought suit for divorce against Ervin Rolland Hubbard. The question was preliminary to probing the allegations in the complaint. "Tonganoxie, Douglass county, Kansas," was the reply. "Tonganoxie is in Leavenworth county," promptly corrected the court. This was verified when the certificate of marriage was inspected. And thus Judge Monroe, whose memory is marvelous—he never takes a note in a divorce suit—scored another bullseye.

INCORPORATIONS. The Tahoe Land and Water Company, incorporators, W. J. G. Lambert, E. L. Lambert and George E. Dole; capital stock, $25,000; subscribed, $25,000. The San Jacinto Securities Company, incorporators, A. J. Waters, F. H. Nichols, George E. Hallett, H. S. McKay, Jr., and W. J. Williams; capital stock, $400,000; subscribed, $50.

At the City Hall.

MAKES CHARGES AGAINST SALOON.

FORMER "JUDGE" OF SUNRISE COURT FILES STATEMENT.

In Affidavit Placed Before Police Commission Says He Found Twenty-three Intoxicated Men in Place and Bartender Disregarding the Liquor Law.

Griffith Jones, former "judge" of the Sunrise Court, who was ousted by Chief Snively last week because he made public a report containing charges against a local saloon before the charges had been sent to the Police Commission, appeared before the commission yesterday and presented an affidavit setting forth his side of the controversy and preferring his charges against the saloon at No. 112 East First street. The hearing was postponed until Wednesday morning of next week.

In his affidavit Mr. Jones charges that on May 15 he called at the saloon in question at 9 p.m., and found ten men there, six of whom were intoxicated. Later, the same night, he found twenty men in the place, he says, and eighteen of the twenty were "hopelessly intoxicated," while on all occasions the bartender showed an entire disregard for the law prohibiting the sale of intoxicants to men already in an intoxicated condition.

TO THE COUNCIL.
MAYOR TO SEND REPORT.

The official report of the Mayor's investigating committee on the motor sprinkling deal, and the recommendations for a reorganization of the procedure of the efficiency department, will likely be forwarded to the City Council by the Mayor today. This report will be accompanied by a letter suggesting that the recommendations of the committee be carried out and that the Mayor be made the real head of the Efficiency Commission in that all important recommendations be transmitted through his office.

In the meantime it is possible that the Council may decide to carry out its intention of holding another investigation on the specific charges of a "crooked deal" made by Director Jesse D. Burks in connection with the sprinkling deal.

Chairman Topham of the Public Works Committee said yesterday that as soon as he can procure a full copy of the investigating committee's report he will prepare a statement in connection therewith.

WITHOUT INVESTIGATION.
CHARGES ARE FILED.

Charges against Schaffer and Schaffer, proprietors of a saloon at Fifth and Central, which have been pending for several months before the Police Commission, were filed yesterday without investigation. The records in possession of the Police Commission show that a part of the consideration for the lease on the saloon property was an agreement that the saloon should handle no draft beer excepting that furnished by the brewery which backed the lease. The charge also asserts that in applying for renewal of the saloon license the proprietor said under oath that no brewery is connected with management of the saloon.

UNDER ADVISEMENT.
THE REX SOCIAL CLUB.

Charges against the Rex Social Club were heard by the Police Commission yesterday and decision in the case of whether the license shall be revoked was withheld for a week. Evidence presented before the commission yesterday indicated that during the last month or two, while the case has been pending before the commision the club has conducted its business in conformity with the club ordinance.

REVERSAL OF DECISION.

The Police Commission reversed itself yesterday in the matter of giving a first-class restaurant liquor license to Lambrinos and King, at No. 132 East Fourth street, and the application was granted by unanimous vote. Three or four months ago an application was denied and the application fee forfeited without appeal. This action led to a controversy in which the Mayor charged that "money had been passed." In the meantime, business rivals of Lambrinos and King, who opposed the granting of the former permit, applied for a similar license and it was granted.

ANOTHER EXPERT.
TO ORGANIZE NURSES.

After prolonged discussion yesterday the City Council appropriated $1000 to the health department for the purpose of employing an expert on municipal nursing to organize the force of thirty nurses. Health Commissioner Powers told the Council that he believes the money will be well spent and that a proper plan of organization is essential if the city is to receive adequate returns from the expense of the municipal nurses. Councilman Topham and others were opposed to engaging "outside" talent, insisting that Los Angeles can furnish all the nursing experts needed.

TONOPAH ORE SHIPMENTS.

The ore shipments from the mines of the Tonopah district during the past week aggregated 9521 tons with an estimated value of $196,633. This production was distributed as follows: Tonopah Belmont, 2929 tons; Tonopah Mining, 2500 tons; Tonopah Extension, 1850 tons; Jim Butler, 850 tons; West End, 471 tons; Montana, 216 tons; Halifax, 209 tons; Rescue-Eula, 155 tons; Macnamara, 40 tons. The above information was received over the private wire of L. A. Crisler Company.

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Specific.

MAKES CHARGES OF MISCONDUCT.

Building Officials Formally Accused of Offenses.

Thorough Inquiry Promised to Start Thursday.

Twenty Witnesses Summoned to Give Evidence.

Specific charges of improper conduct on the part of officials in the building department under jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works were filed with the board Monday by Walter J. Gray. These charges are substituted for those informally filed with the Mayor several months ago and made public recently. The Board of Public Works promises a thorough inquiry and this will begin tomorrow afternoon.

The charges of improper conduct and favoritism are made specifically against J. J. Backus, chief inspector of buildings; Mark C. Cohn, chief deputy inspector, and Frank Gow, an inspector in the building department. Mr. Gray, a former employee of the building department, was one of eleven let out one year ago.

It is apparent from the form of charges and the detailed list of witnesses and of public records connected therewith that Mr. Gray has legal counsel in their preparation. He asks for the presence of more than twenty witnesses, including six or more city employees, who are supposed to know something of the transactions in question.

CHARGES ENUMERATED.

Irregularity is to be charged, especially in connection with permits for several large office buildings, as well as residences. In the list of records requested are the building permits for the I. N. Van Nuys Building, the Baker-Detweiler Building, Broadway Department Store and the J. W. Robinson Building. The specific charges filed yesterday are as follows:

"That the ordinances regulating the erection of buildings in the city of Los Angeles are not evenly, equitably and properly administered by the above-named persons as more specially appears, as follows to wit: That certain persons have been given permits in which the values named were far less than the amounts which the buildings were to cost, while other persons have been compelled to take out permits in which the values named were the complete costs of the buildings for the erection of which the permits were issued.

"That many persons have been compelled to make expensive changes in buildings to comply with the building ordinances, others have been prosecuted in police court for violations of the ordinances, while a favored few have been permitted to violate the same ordinances with impunity.

LOSS TO CITY.

"That unnecessary hardship and expense have been imposed upon many persons by the above-named persons, compelling the employment of architects on small and comparatively insignificant buildings and by furnishing the applicants for permits with a list of architects' names with the suggestion that the applicant for a building permit employ one of the architects named in the list.

"That the failure of the above-named persons to perform their duties in an even, equitable and proper manner has resulted in a substantial financial loss to the city.

"Expressly excepting the above-named, Frank Gow, who was not in a position to do so, I further charge that the said J. J. Backus and Mark Cohn have shown partiality or favoritism among the employees of the building department."

MURDER CASE HELD UP.

Numerous Challenges Make Slow Going in Gardner Murder Case.

The case against Thomas F. Gardner, charged with the murder of his wife, Tilda C. Gardner, on November 11, 1915, with a butcher knife, was called in Superior Judge Craig's court, yesterday, but on account of the numerous challenges of prospective jurors, the panel was exhausted, and the matter went over until this morning, when the venire on duty in Judge McCormick's court will be available.

CURB MARKET OPENED.

The Los Angeles Curb market has opened for business on the ground floor of the Douglas Building. The organizers of the new project announce that these are but temporary quarters and that their permanent home will be announced later. The board of directors of the exchange consists of W. A. Stuart, J. J. Loughran, T. Truville, S. W. Reardon, H. N. Willard, G. C. Courtright and J. M. Shrole. The following stocks have been listed on the board of this organization: Arizona Apex, Arizona Boy, Bendigo Mines, Big Jim, Gold Mountain, Gold Tralls, Little Jim, Lucky Boy, Oatman Apex, Old Tralls. Other securities will be added from time to time.

Home Celebration of Wonder Interest

The arrival of a baby in the household completely changes the entire aspect of the future. But in the meantime, during the anxious period of expectancy, there is a splendid remedy known as "Mother's Friend" that does wonders. It is for external use, relieves the pains of muscle expansion, soothes and quiets the nerves, extends its influence to the internal organs and removes to a great extent the tendency to worry and apprehension. It is a natural treatment, safe for the mother, has no drug effect whatever and for this reason must exert a most beneficial influence upon those functions directly connected with motherhood. In a very interesting book the subject is freely discussed and a copy will be mailed free to all expectant mothers by Bradfield Regulator Co., 400 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga. Get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today of any druggist. Use as directed and you will then know why mothers for nearly half a century have used and recommended this splendid aid to motherhood. Their letters are messages of cheer, that breathe comfort in every word.

High up.

"Jack" Tyler doing a handstand on top of the Rosslyn Hotel's electric sign, 210 feet from the sidewalk.

TAKES LIFE IN HAND.

Steeplejack Does Handstand Two Hundred Feet above Sidewalk.

Jack Tyler is a steeplejack and he is used to risky positions. He doesn't care particularly whether there is any anything between him and the ground, no matter how, high up he is, if he has something to hold to, even if he can use only one hand.

Yesterday he went to the top of the electric sign on the Rosslyn Hotel for a moving picture company. While there, a distance of 210 feet from the street below, he stood on his head, did a handstand, hung by his feet and did several other stunts on the narrow beam at the top of the huge sign. A crowd of several hundred people gathered during the performance.

LARGE ATTENDANCE.

May Meeting of Insurance Men Attracts Many Persons.

An elaborate programme was presented at the May meeting and dinner of the Life Underwriters' Association of Los Angeles, at Christopher's, last evening. About 200 were present.

John Newton Russell, Jr., was toastmaster. Addresses were given by Willis H. Booth, vice-president of Security Trust and Savings Bank, and Rev. Charles C. Selecman, pastor of Trinity Auditorium. Short talks were made by Vice-President Danford, M. Baker, Secretary C. I. D. Moore and Superintendent Forbes Lindsay of the school for salesman of the home office of the Pacific Mutual, as well as by James L. Collins, T. A. Waltrip, Edmund Alexander and O. E. Carter of its local agency staff.

A feature of the musical part of the programme was vocal selections by the Pacific Mutual Glee Club, and a solo by Madame Clare McComas Robinson, contralto, with Miss Helmina Rector at the piano.

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SWEET CHARITY ON MAT AGAIN.

New Ordinance is Signal for Renewed Hostilities.

Proposed Regulation Bitterly Opposed at Hearing.

Dr. Johnson Calls it Worse than Useless.

Presentation of the new charities ordinance to the Public Welfare Committee of the Council Monday was a signal for renewed hostilities, with President Johnson of the Municipal Charities Commission on one side and representatives of certain charitable organizations and opponents of regulation of charities on the other, and the Council committee in the position of the "innocent bystander" seeking to find a solution that will at least please some one. Proponents and opponents of the new ordinance had their say, and the committee laid the matter over for another round next week.

One of the ordinances under consideration proposes to reorganize the affairs of the Charities Commission in conformity with the Supreme Court decision in the Salvation Army case. The other ordinance proposes to make it unlawful for any person to beg on any street or in any public place within the city.

OFFERS NEW COMMISSION.

The commission ordinance proposes a new organization of five members, to be named by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Council, and no person who is a member of a charitable organization shall be a member of the commission. The Charities Commission has the right to investigate all charities which appeal to the public for support and perform most of the functions of the present commission, but the real administration is turned over to the City Council.

Howard Robertson, Assistant City Attorney, explained to the committee that the ordinance was drawn by Mrs. E. K. Foster and other opponents of the Charity Commission, and the City Attorney's office assumed no responsibility for it.

Dr. Milbank Johnson, president of the Municipal Charities Commission, protested vigorously against the form of the proposed ordinance, which, he said, would nullify the protective influence of the commission and make it worse than useless in protecting the business men of the city against fraud.

WORK OF "TENTH MEMBER."

"This charities ordinance now before the Public Welfare Committee as a result of two and one-half months' consideration on the part of the City Council certainly demonstrates the necessity of a reorganization of the welfare work of the city of Los Angeles," said Dr. Johnson. "There was the same crowd of malcontents present before the Council committee, led by Mrs. E. K. Foster, the 'tenth member of the City Council.' These persons proposed the adoption of an ordinance which would very effectually eliminate the present Charities Commission and substitute therefor practically nothing of a regulatory character. In fact, the ordinance as presented for consideration was sufficiently inexact and poorly designed to prove entirely satisfactory to every form of fake and graft conceivable. The ordinance proposed also, in effect, permits the Council to continue as an administrative body over the charities of the city, by requiring the findings of the new so-called Charities Commission to report its findings to the Council. As this ordinance makes no requirement that all charity propositions should be investigated by the commission, the natural result of its enactment would be to make the better charitable institutions the pawns of the City Council and allow the crooked ones absolute immunity from regulation or supervision of any sort.

VERY SERIOUS MATTER.

"It might be well to point out that this is a very serious matter in which many citizens and business men of the city are vitally interested, and the City Council should not be misled by the amount of noise that a few interested persons are able to make at the hearings before the Public Welfare Committee. The welfare of the city of Los Angeles is too vital an issue to be dragged in the mud of politics and petty influence, and, as this ordinance does not give the protection demanded by the merchants and others who are called upon to bear the financial burden of the support of many charitable institutions, it will not be satisfactory to them."

AFFIRMS DECISIONS.

General Land Office Upholds Rulings of Local Representatives.

Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell of the Local Land Office have been affirmed by the General Land Office at Washington in their decision in the case of Frank Atchison against Pauline Dow, which recommended that the contest be dismissed. The land in question is situated in Victor Valley, about fifteen miles west of Victorville, and covers a quarter section.

The officers are also affirmed in their decision in the case of Norman S. Clarke against Warren M. Angell, which held that the entry of Angell be canceled. The land is situated in San Bernardino county about eighteen miles from San Bernardino, and contains a quarter section.

The General Land Office modified the decision of the local officers in the case of H. Thompson Webb against Joseph H. Ramsdale, which involved 160 acres of land in Riverside county, near Indio. Register Roche and Receiver Mitchell decided that both parties [illegible] and held that the land be divided between them, eighty acres each. The commissioner finds that Ramsdale had the better right and awards him the entire tract.

FUNERAL OF PIONEER.

Funeral services for John A. [illegible], 55 years of age, who passed away at his home, No. 419 South Hill street, early Sunday morning, will be conducted at 2 o'clock this afternoon at the chapel of the Utsch Company. Interment will be at Evergreen Cemetery. [illegible] came to Los Angeles in 1888 and was connected, in various capacities, with several of the old theatrical companies, a pet concerns of the city. He retired from retirement two years ago. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Sophie A. [illegible], a son, George B. Rice, and one daughter, Mrs. D. E. McDonald.

FIGHT AGAINST GERMANY.

"Four-fifths of the people are in sympathize with England, the one-fifth with Russia, yet they are fighting for Germany," said Rev. Theodore Thomas Holway, missionary at Sofia, Bulgaria, today, on his arrival here accompanied by his wife, for a visit. Prof. A. E. Richardson, [illegible] West Ninth street. Glenn Holways left Sofia just before the outbreak of hostility.

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CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, May 24.—Tomorrow's the big day for the opening of the pre-Republican convention show candidate row in Michigan avenue. More advance guards got to today to herald the coming of the real managers tomorrow. Chairman Charles D. Hilles of the National Committee will get in on the Broadway Limited tomorrow. His secretary, James L. Phillips, came in this morning with these tidings. Chairman Hilles left New York yesterday and stopped off on the way to confer with some of the Old Guard en route.

ROOT HEADQUARTERS.

John W. Dwight, with several aides, is coming tomorrow to open the Elihu Root headquarters in the Congress Hotel. The Senator John W. Weeks managers are headed this way and will pitch the Weeks tents in the Congress. The Charles W. Fairbanks guard has been augmented by the arrival of James S. Goodrich, Republican nominee for Governor. He joined Will Hays and Joseph B. Kealing in boosting the former Vice-President as the "best-equipped man" for the Presidential nomination.

ENTHUSIASM AND HARMONY.

John Eversman, secretary of the Republican Congressional Committee, secretary of the convention and right-hand man to Congressman William B. McKinley, came in and went busy at once. Mr. Eversman

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THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity 12 miles. Thermometer, highest, 60 deg.; lowest, 47 deg. Forecast: Generally fair and warmer Thursday. For complete weather report see last page of Part I.

THE CITY. Nineteen persons were hurt, several perhaps fatally, when an automobile van loaded with motion-picture people capsized.

There arrived here from Belgium a soldier bearing thirteen scars, and the highest decorations given by three nations.

Though a Labor Temple "Peace Festival" was declared open shop when a county appropriation was secured, the unions bucked, and there was a "change of mind."

Since a schoolma'am was kissed on a Sierra Madre street fifty female teachers have applied for jobs there.

The Board of Education adopted a resolution terminating the contracts of employment of all city teachers and principals June 30.

Five thousand persons joined in celebrating Empire Day and swelling a fund for the benefit of maimed British soldiers.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena has completed plans for a home for music and art.

The strike at the Long Beach ship yards is almost ended, most of the men having returned to work.

The crew of a vessel burned in Mexican waters is demanding an investigation on arrival at the harbor.

Requests of cafe owners at Venice for the reissue of licenses have been denied by the Trustees.

HINT TO READERS: It is a mistake to jump over the greater part of the more important news because you think you already know all the parts—and thus get all the news of